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Edition 2013

St. John's High School
378 Main Street
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Headmaster: Mr. Michael Welch
Principal: Dr. Jacob Conca

Dedication

Mrs. Curran

Mrs. Kavanagh

Saint John's says thank you and farewell to Religion teacher Meg Curran and Librarian Liz Kavanagh, who are both celebrating their retirement. Meg has taught for 32 years and Liz has served at the school for 25 years. Their impact has been felt for decades and their many years of service fostering a love of learning in thousands of students will not be forgotten.

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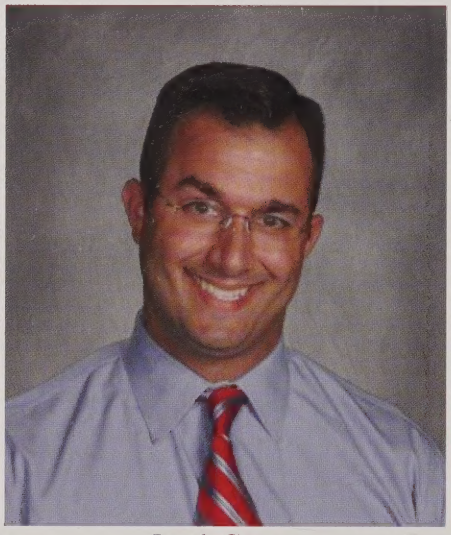
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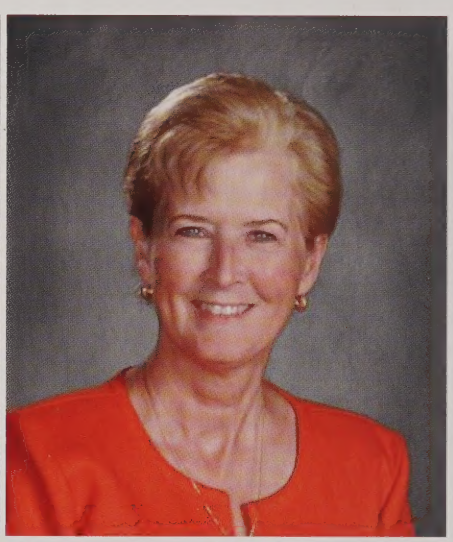
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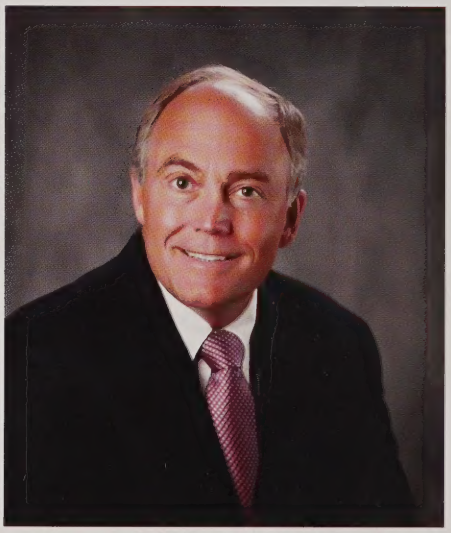
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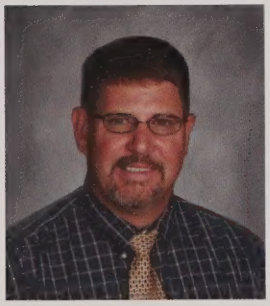
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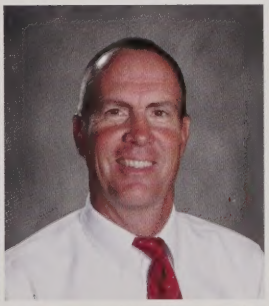
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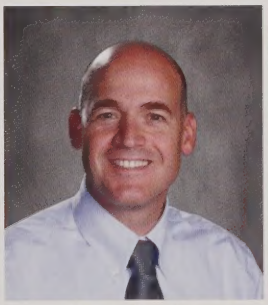
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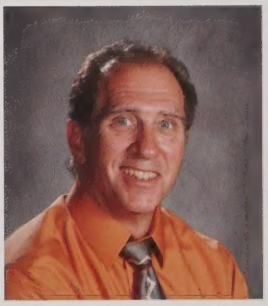
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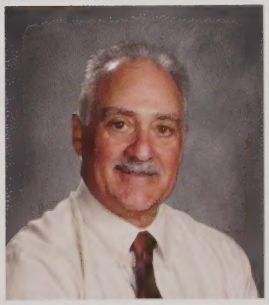
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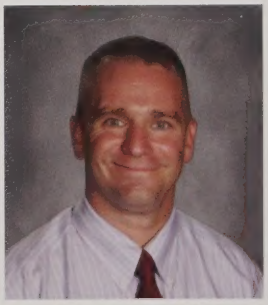
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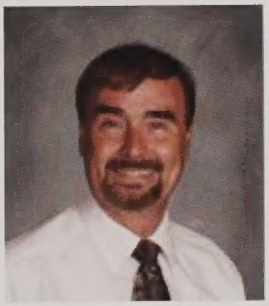
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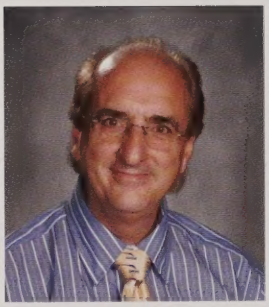
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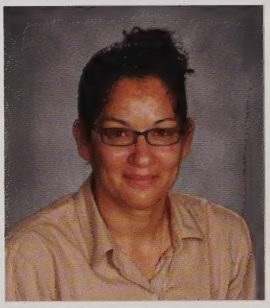
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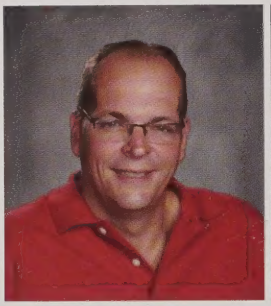
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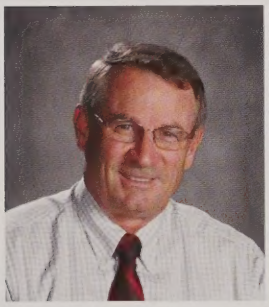
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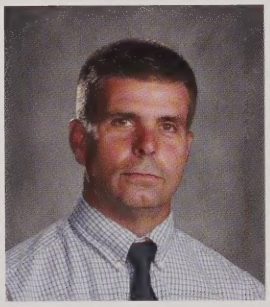
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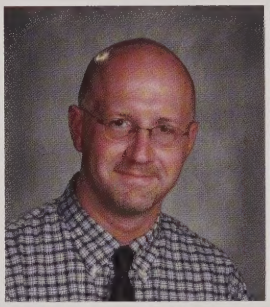
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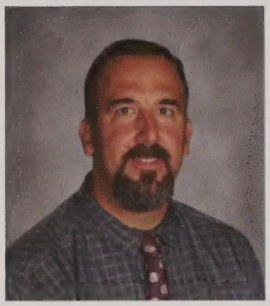
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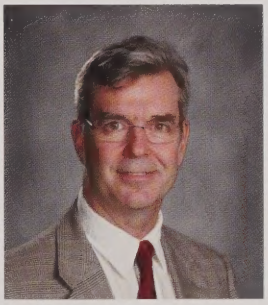
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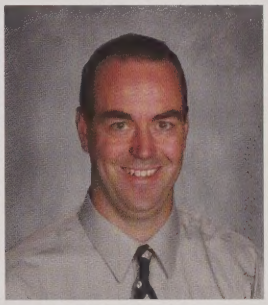
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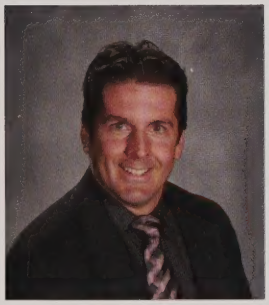
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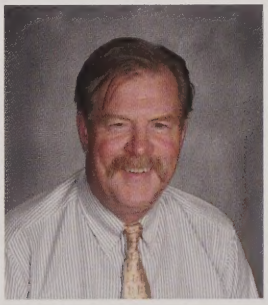
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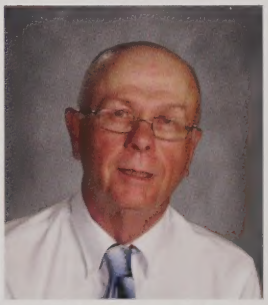
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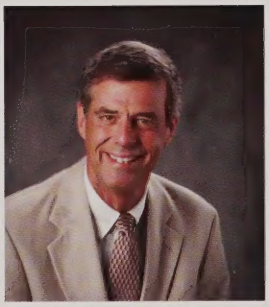
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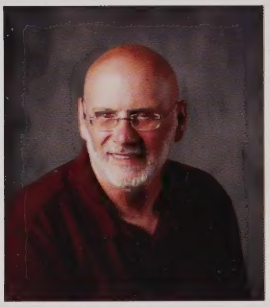
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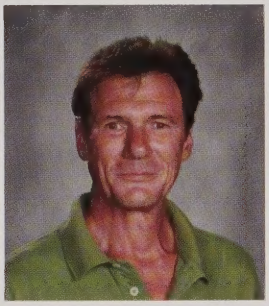
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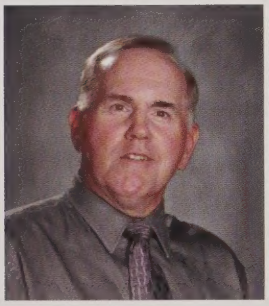
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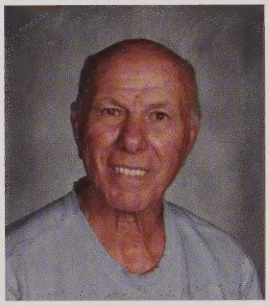
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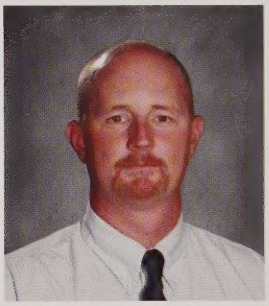
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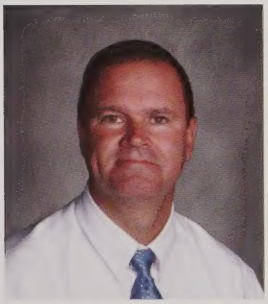
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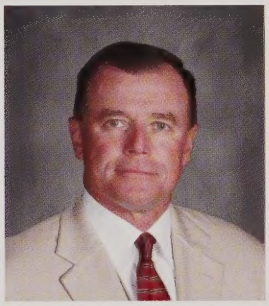
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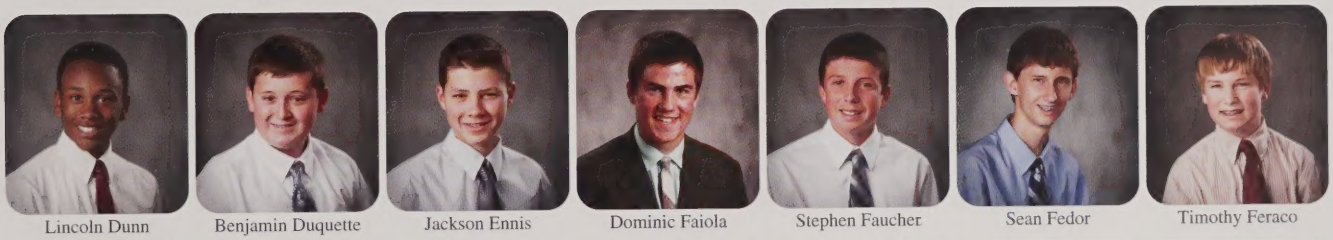

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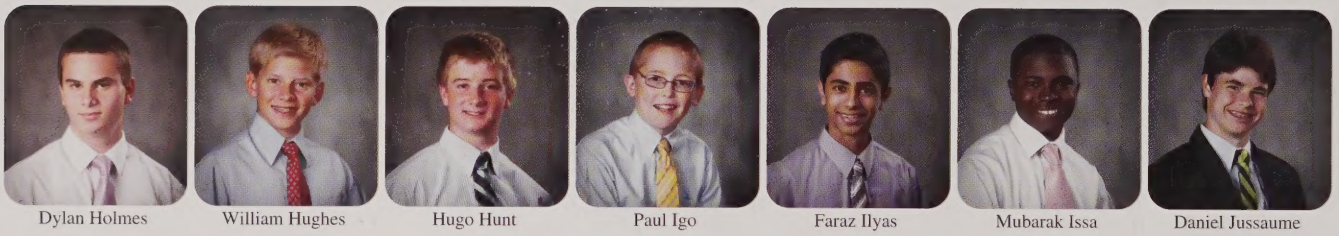

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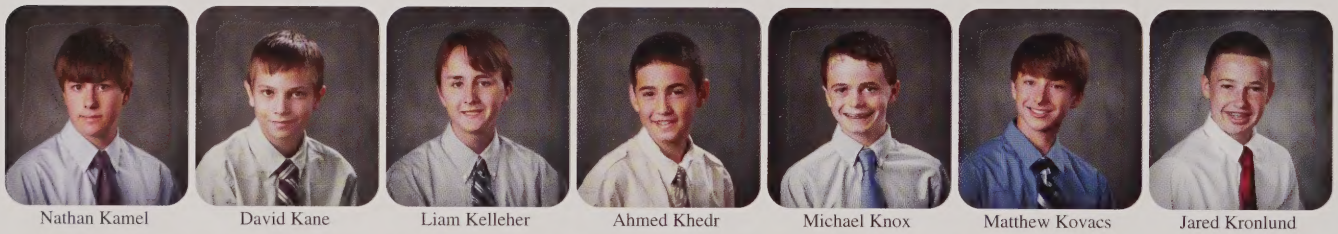

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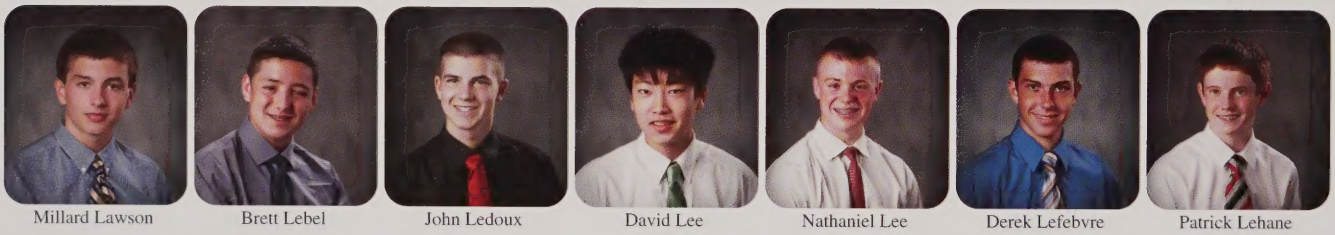

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John Mccarthy | Christopher Mcgillicuddy | Jackson Mcgowan | Brendan Mckiernan | Alberto Mendoza | Nathan Mezitt | Charles Michaud

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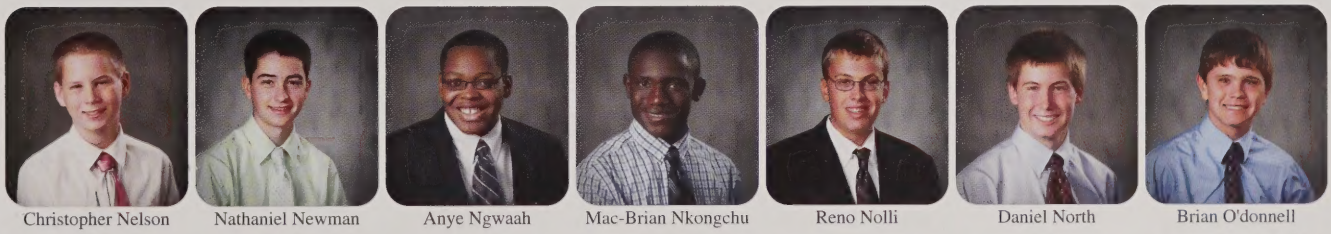

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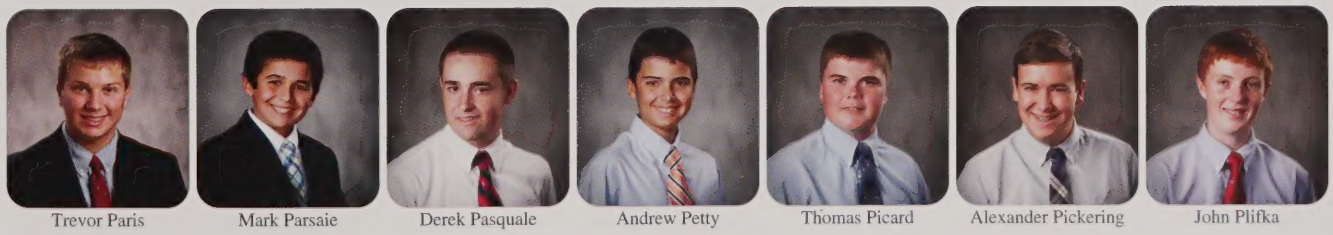

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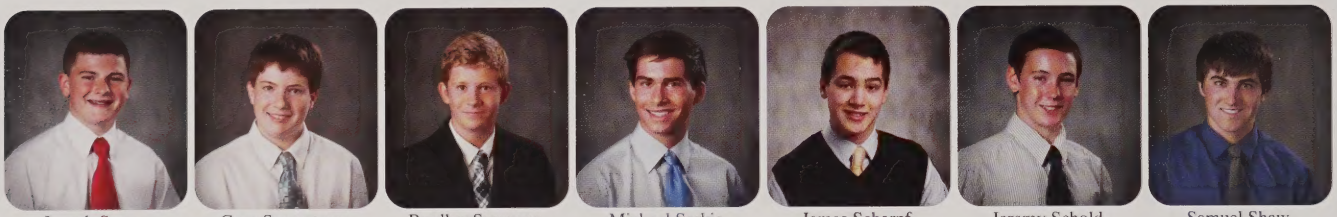

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Andrew Wheeler | Eric Wicks | John Woods | Kyle Wronski-Herbst | Luke Wyman | Luke Xu | Mitchell Yip

Zachary Zarrella

Tyler Zentgraf

Alexander Zhang

Students Not Pictured

Adham Floyd

Mustafa Khan

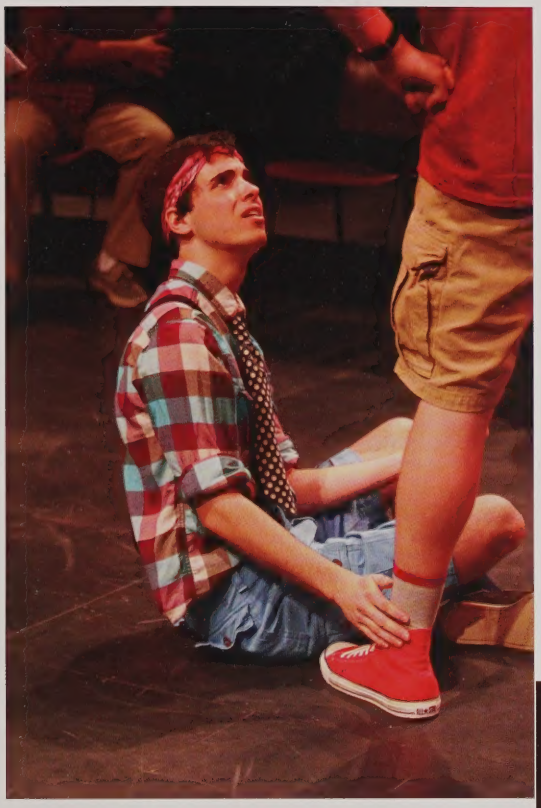
Nathan Smith

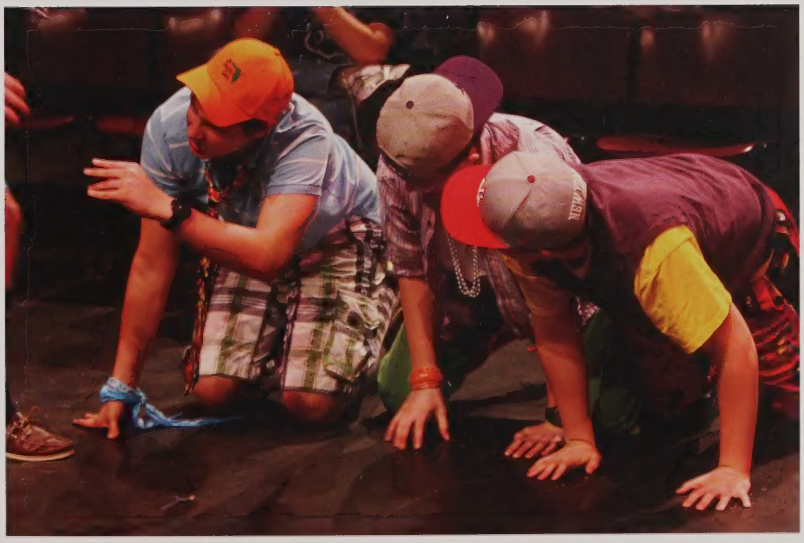
Godspell

The favorite American musical Godspell was presented under the direction of Ms. Sheila Waters Fucci and Mr. Monroe. The sets were beautifully designed by Mr. Nathan Colby, our new Technical Director.

Ms. Waters Fucci

Mr. Monroe





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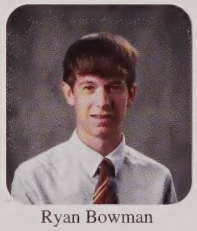
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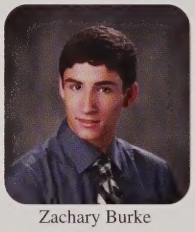
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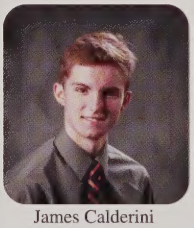
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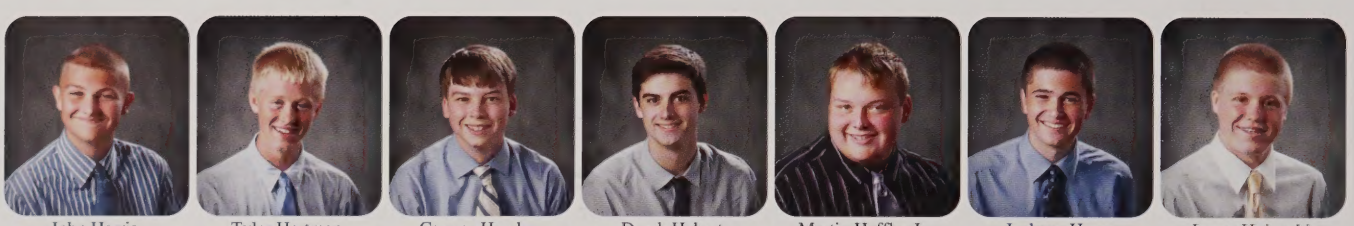

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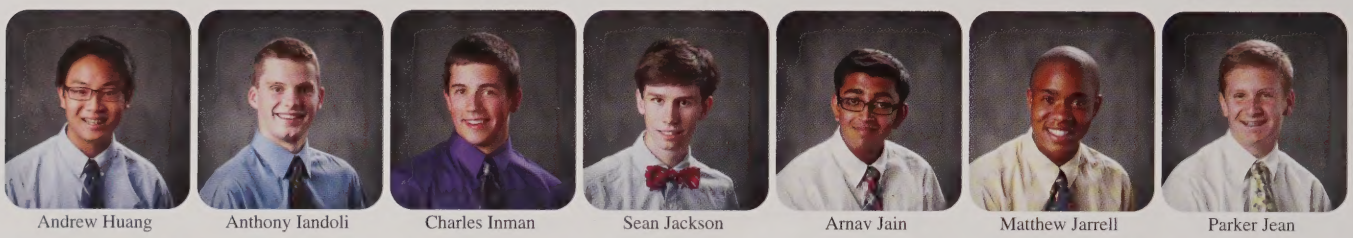

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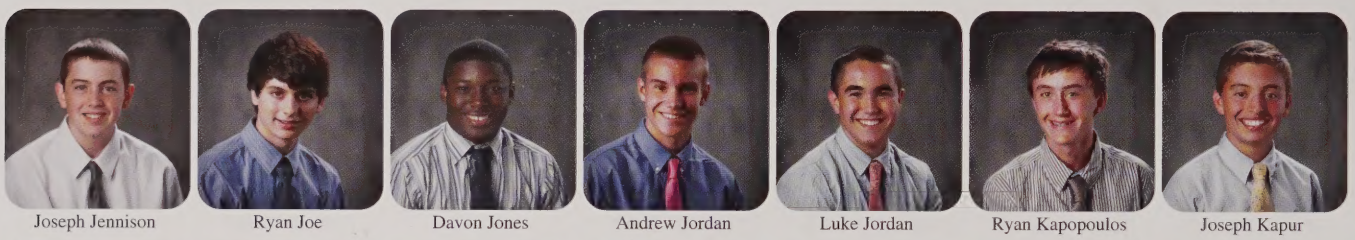

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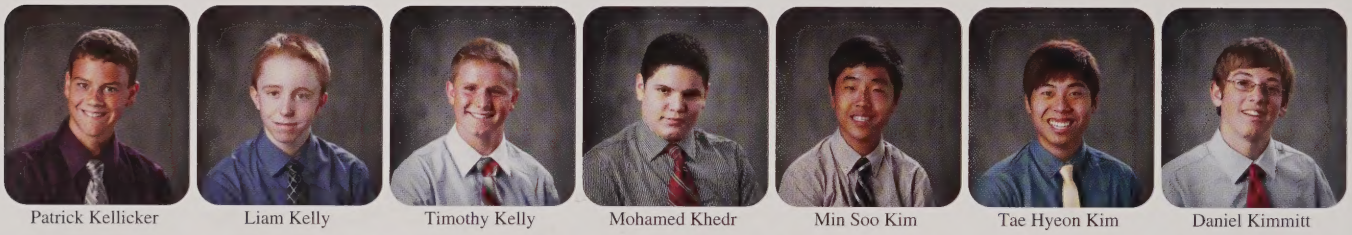

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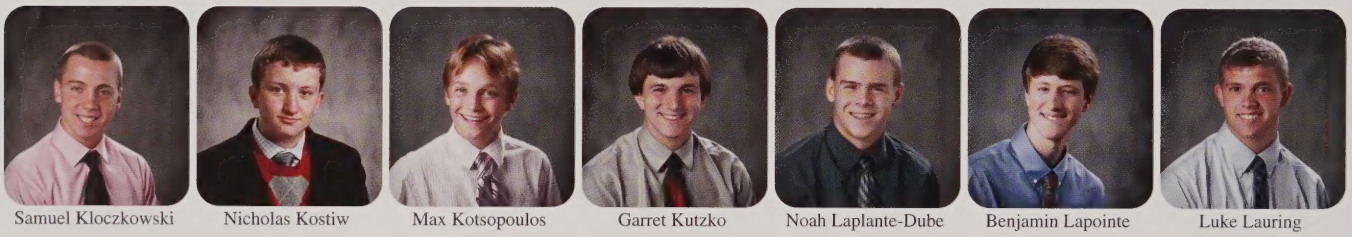

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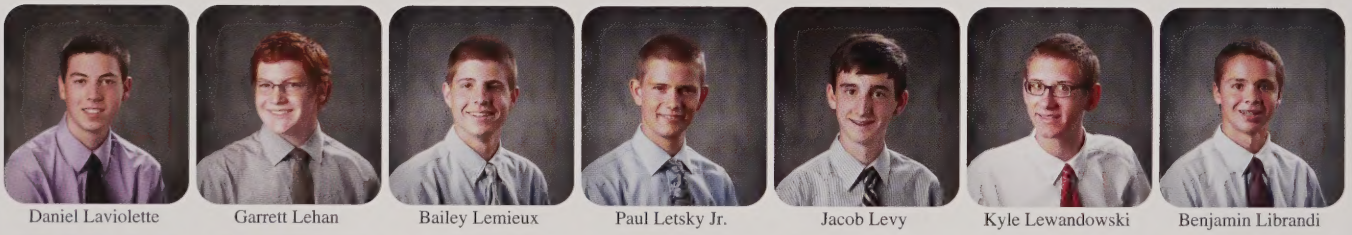

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Brian Sailer

Christian Savage

Camden Schade

Samuel Schmitt

Alexander Schroeder

Matthew Seymour

Gaurav Shashidhar

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Patrick Simon

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Jordan Walker

Jared Ward

Patrick Waters

Nick Wehrle

Ryan Welch

John Welsh

Connor Whitman

Timothy Whittredge

Henri Wick

Mason Wildgrube

Tyler Williams

Lewis Willmuth

Liam Wilson

Matthew Wilson

Michael Wise

Students Not Pictured

Matthew Smith

Nicholas Calvano

Joseph Fontaine

Michael Krumsiek

Sangmin Lee

We Remember...the BeLikeBrit orphanage and the victims of the Boston Marathon bombing.

Britney Gengel of Rutland died in an earthquake in January , 2010, in Port-Au-Prince, Haiti. She had gone to Haiti to hand out meals for a Christian charity. Brit dreamed of opening her own orphanage there. Not letting her dream be forgotten, Britney's family built the BeLikeBrit orphanage in her memory. St. John's Campus Ministry sponsored a dress down day to benefit the BeLikeBrit orphanage.

"Boston Strong" - those were the words that solidified the city of Boston and all of New England after the tragic bombing at this year's Boston Marathon. The St. John's community gathered at the track to sponsor a Boston Strong run to benefit OneFund Boston, which was formed to assist the victims of the bombing.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Nicholson address the student body to discuss the BeLikeBrit dress down day.

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Class of 2014

Yusuf Abdelkader

David Abdow

Samuel Aboagye

Christopher Adams

William Alexander

John Anastasi

Chandler Anctil

Matthew Andrews

Santiago Angaramo

Gregory Angelo

James Antonellis

Samuel Anyamah

Wesley Arnold

Joseph Atchue

Mitchell Axelson

Peter Bardetti

Tyler Bemis

Cameron Bernstein

Timothy Bibaud

Edward Black

Brendan Brosnihan

Paul Browne

Michael Bunsick

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Allen Burgess

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Thomas Carroll

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Bryan Cleary

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Ethan Coskie

Samuel Coveney

Daniel Crowley

Eric Cui

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Troy D'amato

Christopher Dallarosa

Patrick Dallarosa

Nana Danso

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Stephen Dejordy

Jeffrey Demango

Dante Digioia

Ryan Dix

Jacob Dubois

Kyle Dubuque

Michael Duquette

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Joseph Evangelista

Matthew Farese

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Evan Frohock

Rocco Frongillo

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Andrew Miller

John Milton

Charles Misenti

David Monahan

Aidan Moran

Conor Morrison

Kyle Moss

Camden Murphy

Connor Murphy

Michael Murphy

Charles Murray

Sean Murray

Thomas Musgrove

Paul Nason

Kyle Naughton

Alec Nazzaro

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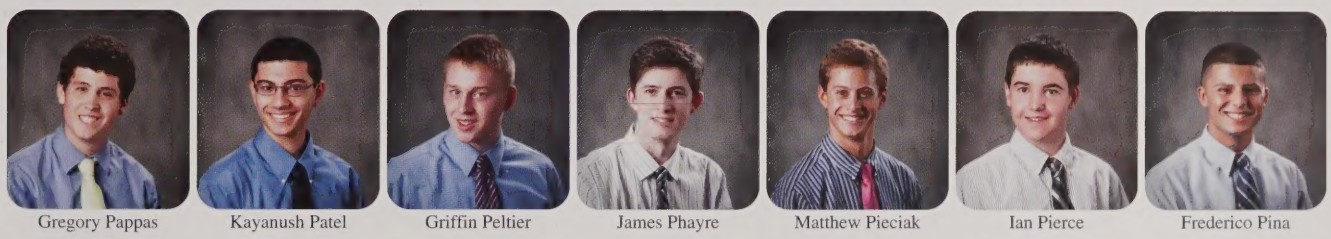

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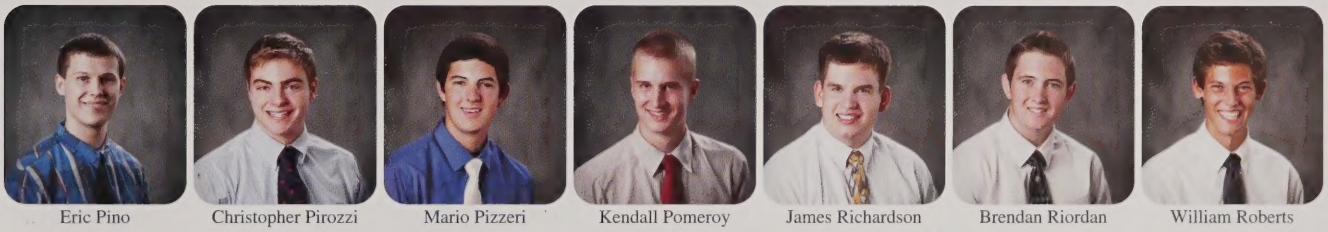

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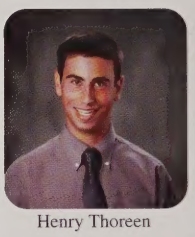
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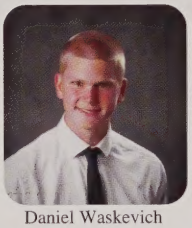
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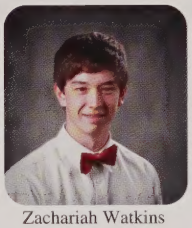
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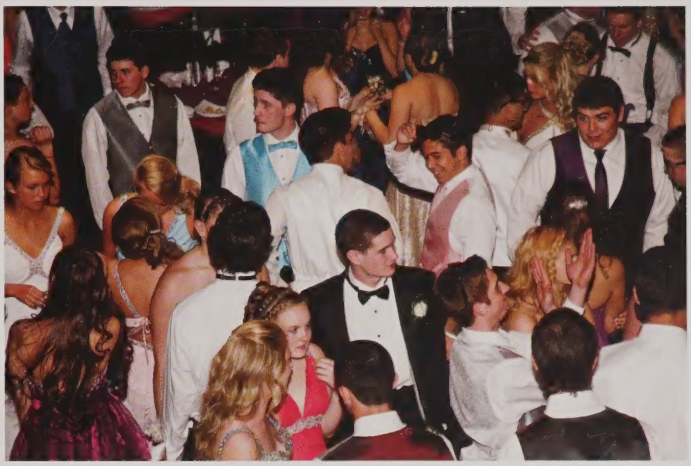

Welcome to St. John's High School! If you think there's a lot going outside the buildings, wait until you have a look inside...we promise you will like what you see!

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HIGH SCHOOL
XAVERIAN BROTHERS

Grandparents' Day

Each year in October Saint John's opens its doors for the grandparents of the freshmen class, to introduce them to the community their family is joining. Grandparents are welcome to enjoy a delicious brunch, take a tour of the campus led by their grandsons, and learn more about the Catholic, Xaverian education their grandsons will receive.

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HOCKEY
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SUPER BOWL
CHAMPIONS
DIVISION I
FOOTBALL

Mass of the Holy Spirit

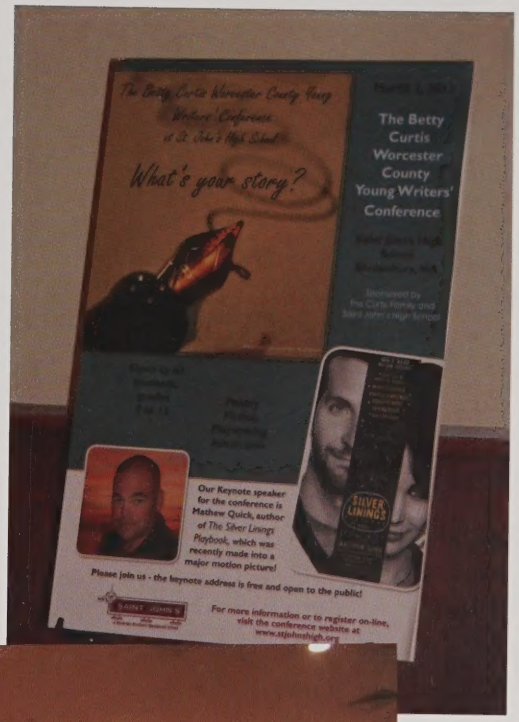
Two seniors were cited for "faith, service, and commitment to improving the overall quality of student life at St. John's at the 2012 Mass of the Holy Spirit. Ryan Sarasin and Owen Shea are this year's recipients of the Thomas Merton award, given by Mrs. Jan O'Malley. Below Owen Shea (l) and Ryan Sarasin proudly display their awards with Mr. Michael Welch '78, Headmaster.

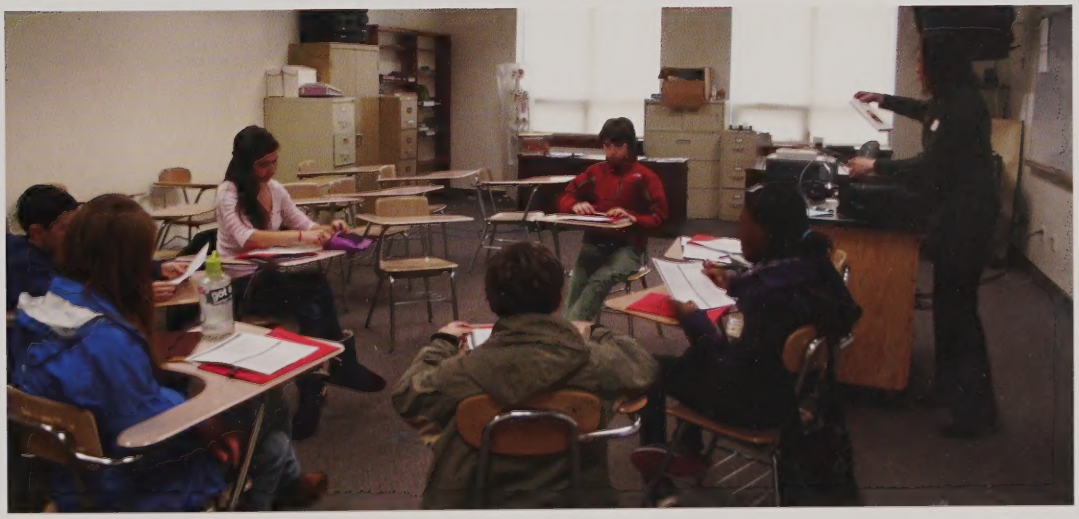
Cornerstone Dedication

Students have long walked past the stone that sits outside of Xaverian Brothers Hall, unaware of its unique history and meaning for one particular alumnus, whose connection to Saint John's was forged on the Temple Street campus in the early 1950s. The stone dates back to the original Saint John's grammar school in 1891, which shared space with the high school that was established in 1898. In 1924, Saint John's High School moved to the "new building" in an adjacent lot on Temple Street. For Thomas Foley '53, this stone symbolized the foundations on which both he and the school were raised. It provided a tangible link from the old Saint John's to the new. When he drove past demolition on the old Temple Street campus more than twenty five years after graduation, Tom saw the stone lying at the site of the old high school and didn't think twice before moving it to the Shrewsbury campus. Pictured below left is the stone. On the right is a commemorative plaque on top of which is a photo of Tom Foley in his St. John's football uniform.

The Betty Curtis Worcester County Young Writers' Conference

This year The Betty Curtis Worcester County Young Writers' Conference welcomed about ninety-one students grades seven through twelve from across the Commonwealth for a day writing. Students participated in small groups in the genres of their choosing. There were four poetry groups, five fiction groups, one nonfiction group, and one playwriting group. The day culminated in a keynote address by Matthew Quick. Quick joined us fresh from the Oscars where the screen adaptation of his novel The Silver-Linings Playbook, took home a handful of awards. Student Director Aaron Hayden was key to the success of the event.


What's your story?
The Betty Curtis Worcester County Young Writers' Conference
Our Keynote speaker for the conference is Mathew Quick, author of The Silver Linings Playbook, which was recently made into a major motion picture!
Please join us - the keynote address is free and open to the public!
SILVER LININGS
For more information or to register on-line, visit the conference website at www.stjohnshigh.org



Fine Arts Take Center Stage

The Saint John's community experienced numerous performances presented by the Fine Arts Department over the course of the year.

Regularly scheduled performances included the Fall Recital, the November Band Concert, and the Holiday Concert. This year the Holiday Concert was paired with our Annual Tree Lighting.

Other performances included the Chorus, String Ensemble and Quartet as well as our Intermediate and Advanced Jazz Bands. The Beginners Jazz Band joined the performance roster in the spring. Also, Saint John's hosted four Acoustic Nights in Remillard Hall.

Guys and Dolls

The Saint John's Drama Club presented "Guys and Dolls". The classic musical by Frank Loesser is based on stories of Damon Runyon. His stories feature gamblers and their girlfriends in old New York. Songs like "Luck Be A Lady" - once made famous by singers like Frank Sinatra - are heard throughout the show. The show was directed by Mr. Monroe and choreographed by Ms. Sheila Water Fucci. The able-bodied crew was led by Mr. Nathan Colby.

Cast:

Nicely-Nicely Johnson.....Taylor Nardone
Benny Southstreet.....Kevin Holm
Rusty Charlie.....Mitchell Shepherd
Sarah Brown.....Alana Kearney
Arvide Abernathy.....Sean Jackson
Agatha (Mission Band).....Amanda Fonaine
Calvin (Mission Band).....John Ledoux
Harry the Horse.....Luke Dombroski
Lt. Brannigan.....Liam Houle
Nathan Detroit.....Nick Palm
Angie the Ox.....Martin Heffler
Miss Adelaide.....Ciara Bowser
Sky Masterson.....Peter Hodskins
Joey Biltmore.....Matt Frieje
Mimi(Hot Box dancer).....Alexis Chan
General Matilda Cartwright.....Tamar Gelber
Big Jule(double .....Mitchell Shepherd
Allison(Hot Box dancer).....Jessica Chan
Ferguson(Hot Box dancer).....Antonia Gehnrich
Vernon(Hot Box dancer).....Kali Sequeira
Drunk.....Nat Newman
Waiter.....John Underwood
Havana dancers,Crapshooters etc...Cast members

Freshman Activity Fair

Each year, freshmen are introduced to the variety of extracurricular activities offered at St. John's at the Activity Fair. Each extracurricular club sets up a display in the Coaches Pavilion with upperclassmen encouraging the freshmen to join their respective clubs and get involved.

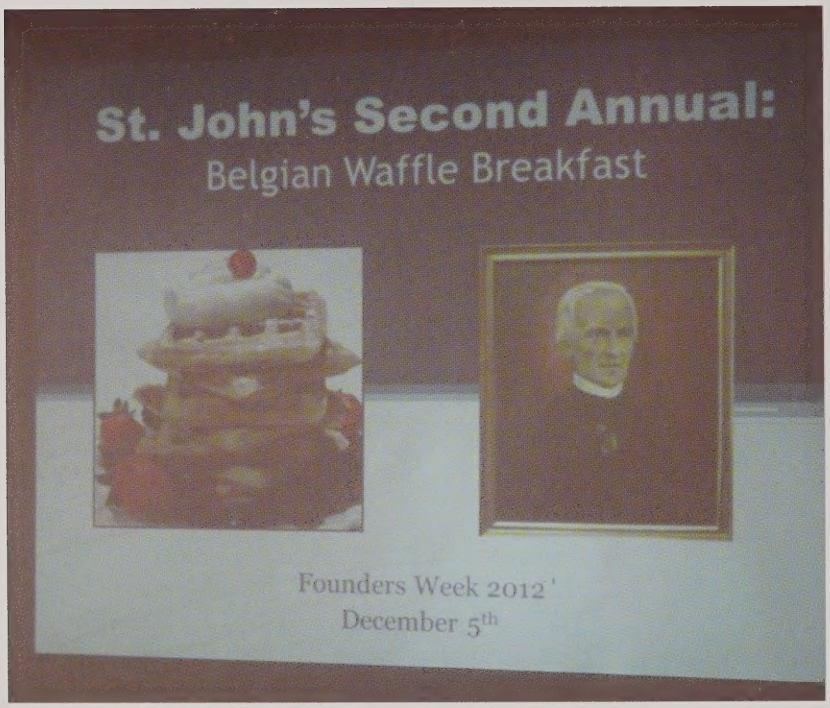
Cross Country
History Club

Founder's Week

Students, faculty, and other members of the Saint John's community reflected together throughout Founder's Week on the five values that comprise the Xaverian charism: humility, simplicity, trust, zeal, and compassion.
Each year, Founder's Week culminates with the Founder's Day Liturgy on December 3rd. At this liturgy, the Theodore James Ryken Award is given by each Xaverian Brothers Sponsored School to a member of its faculty or staff who strives to live out the cornerstones of the Xaverian philosophy, to participate in the school's community of faith and nurture members of its community. The Ryken Award recipients fulfill the Gospel call to peace and justice and a commitment to serving others. This year's recipient was Mrs. Mary Iuso. Below Mrs. Iuso is seen with her husband, Frank and their son, Andrew '08.

Belgian Waffle Breakfast

For the second year in a row, Campus Ministry has celebrated Theodore James Ryken's Belgian heritage by holding a Belgian Waffle Breakfast during Founder's Week. As you can see from the photos, it is a popular event among students and faculty alike.



Model UN Conferences

With the help of the faculty moderators (Mr. Abdella, Mr. Williams, and Mr. Marsan), the seniors, and everyone in the club, this was one of the best and most eventful years in the Saint John's Model UN's club history. The year got off to a great start as, Pete Hodskins '13, Seamus Igo '13, and Brendan Mahoney '14, led us in debate with our first topic of the year about the weaponization of space.

The Model UN Conference at Brown University was a tremendous success as well. According to Mr. Abdella, we took one of the strongest delegations he has seen to Brown.

We must also not forget the lesser known one-day regional conference at Boston College this year. This conference, which was their first ever conference, turned out to be a great success as well. At the BC conference, we also took home the trophy for best large delegation.

The event most unique to this year of Model UN was the 40th year anniversary of the club and the appearance of Former Secretary of State Madeline Albright. During this day, we were happy to invite several graduates of SJMUN back on campus to celebrate this occasion with us.

Shortly after this, we went to the Model UN conference in Chicago, which is often seen as the culmination of our MUN year. . The seniors and everyone who went on the trip would probably agree that the trip was a life changing experience and one that they will never forget.

This year was truly a great year for St. John's Model UN and everyone in the club has no doubt that the club will continue to grow next year under the leadership of Cody Shallow '14, Brendan Mahoney '14, Robert O'Gara '14, and Tim Deedy '14.

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9th Annual Abdella Center for Ethics Lecture

Sixteen years to the day after Madeleine Albright took her oath as Secretary of State, she addressed an audience of 1,000 at Saint John's 9th annual Abdella Center for Ethics lecture on January 23, 2013. In addition to claiming her historic title as the first female Secretary of State, Madeleine Albright also made Saint John's history as the first woman to speak in the Abdella Center for Ethics Lecture Series. Prior speakers include Nobel Laureate Elie Wiesel, Dr. Paul Farmer, Harvard Professor Michael Sandel, and Rev. John Paris - who was the first Abdella lecturer in 2003 and returned to Saint John's for Albright's talk.

Madeleine Albright with Hon. Charles Abdella '60

Rev. Paris with Ms. Albright

Madeleine Albright with Rep. James McGovern

Faith, Hope and Love in Action

The St. John's community gathered for a second time in 2013 to welcome a renowned speaker to the Abdella Center for Ethics. Mark Kennedy Shriver visited St. John's to share stories from his recently authored book *A Good Man: Rediscovering My Father, Sargent Shriver* and to discuss faith, hope, and love in today's society.

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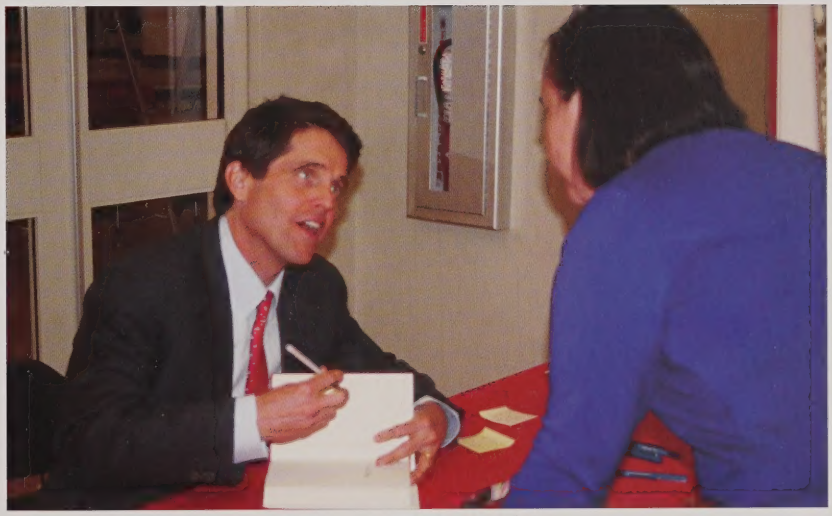

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Stuffing Stockings for Christmas

Every year, under the direction of Mrs. Meg Curran, dozens of students assemble, wrap and ship Christmas stockings for the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota, the Worcester Veteran's Shelter, the Dismas House, and Shrewsbury veterans.

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National Merit Scholars Named

The following students were commended as National Merit Scholars representing Saint John's.

Front row: Daniel Paradis, Jiheon Han, Liam Finnerty, Sean Choudhury, Mihir Marathe, Adithyan Panchamoorthy, Jesse Rhodes,

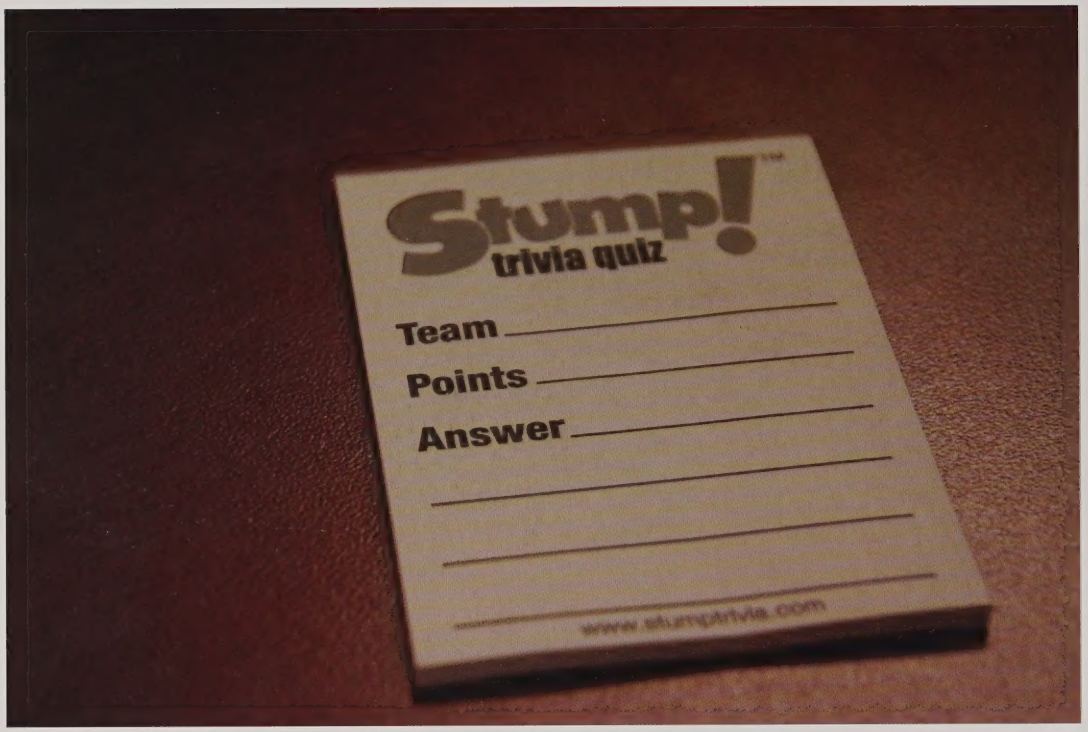
Back row: Peter Hodskins, Kevin Hovagimian, Sean Donovan, Colin Hughes, Christopher Jackson, Patrick Foley

Not pictured: Saarik Kalia, Nicholas Vangos, James Zatsiorsky

The National Merit semifinalists scored among the top 1 percent of the 2012 Preliminary SAT, which serves as the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. Of the 1.5 million high school juniors who took the test, only 16,000 were named semifinalists, of whom about 15,000 are expected to be named finalists in February. Winners of the more than 8,000 scholarships, which are given by several sources, will be notified in April through July. The next 34,000 students nationwide — all of whom scored in the top 5 percent on the PSAT/NMSQT — were sent letters of commendation from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. Sixteen Saint John's seniors received letters of commendation.

SAINT JOHN'S HIGH SCHOOL

Stump Trivia Night



St. John's Varsity Athletics

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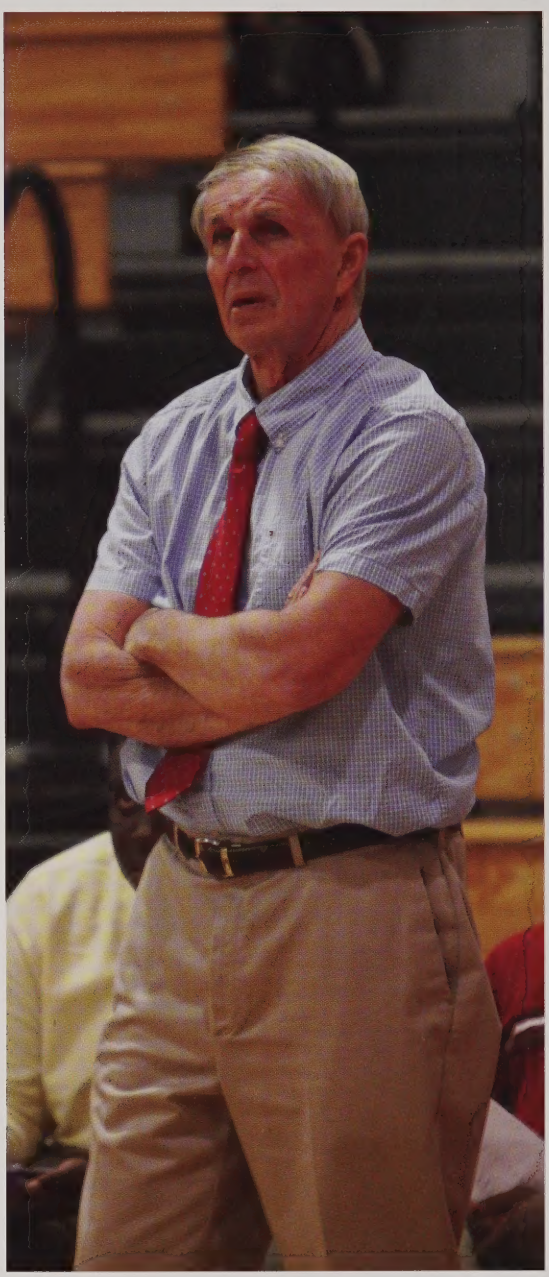
Coaching Achievements

On January 15, Coach Bob Foley achieved his 800th career win. This year marks his 50th as a high school basketball coach, and he has been coaching the Saint John's Varsity Basketball team since 1980. Coach Foley is the winningest basketball coach in the state of Massachusetts.



"I just love these kids, and to tell you the truth, one of these days I'm gonna retire. But I would really miss the kids, and miss the sport, the enthusiasm, everything you see at a game," he told ESPN High School Report after the 80-37 victory against Holy Name.

Congratulations to Head Basketball Coach Bob Foley!

Congratulations to Head Golf Coach Bill Prendiville on another successful season last fall!

Coach Prendiville has been teaching at Saint John's since 1969 and in 2012 completed his 40th year as Golf coach.

The 2012 Varsity Golf team took home its 7th State Championship under Coach Prendiville.

Bill is also the Assistant Swimming and Diving Coach.

Baseball

The 2013 baseball team finished with an impressive 18-6 record but fell one victory short of its fifth consecutive appearance in the District Championship game.

The regular season produced many memorable moments. The team had "walk-off" victories over St. Peter-Marian, New Bedford, and Doherty, while senior captain Ben White '13 pitched brilliantly in a 5-1 victory over BC High. Due to a season ending injury, it was White's last performance in his three year varsity career at St. John's – where he compiled a pitching record of 14 wins against 0 losses.

While White led the pitching staff, fellow captain Tom Petry '13 was the leader of the offense and defense. Petry played an outstanding shortstop and was an offensive force at the plate. In 24 games as the leadoff hitter, Petry had 30 hits, walked 18 times, scored 32 runs, and had 28 RBIs. Fifteen of his hits were for extra bases, including 11 doubles, a triple, and 3 home runs.

In the playoffs, St. John's fought for a 7-5 come-from-behind victory over Shrewsbury in the last game played on Pioneer Field prior to this summer's renovations. The win also marked the third year in a row that the Pioneers knocked their cross-town rival out of the playoffs.

Two days later, however, Leominster turned the tables on St. John's by earning a 2-0 victory at Tivnan Field in Worcester; St. John's had beaten Leominster in the playoffs in both 2011 and 2012.

The hallmarks of the 2013 Pioneers baseball team were senior leadership, team chemistry, and perseverance. Captains Tom Petry and Ben White – along with classmates Jacques Boilard '13, Jake Byrne '13, Micah Cummins '13, Connor Kurtz '13, Marc Roche '13, Owen Shea '13, and Mike Sullivan '13 – provided great leadership for the entire baseball program.

The baseball coaches this year were Ed Shoro '07, Brett Ford, Casey Cummins '08, John Mullen '07, Bucky Richards, John Perron '08, Jim Ritchie '83, and Charlie Eppinger '92.

Seniors: Ben White, Tom Petry, Owen Shea, Michael Sullivan, Jake Boilard, Jake Byrne, Micah Cummins, Connor Kurtz, Marc Roche (Manager)

Juniors: Scott Manea, Paul Browne, Steve D'Agastino, Joe Evangalista, Matthew LeClair, David Monahan, Camden Murphy, Charlie Murray, Kendall Pomeroy, Mitch Stepien

Sophomore: Kevin Quinlivan

Basketball

The Saint John's Varsity Basketball team provided plenty of excitement for their Superfans. The team got off to a quick 4-0 start behind a core of returning players, including senior guards Tarik Octave and Kenny Harrington, and sophomore Davon Jones. Returning big men included juniors Charlie Murray, Alex Fisher and TJ Kelley. Although December started strong, the team struggled in the Laska Championship game against Wachusett. Saint John's lost by 12 points and also lost their Captain, Kenny Harrington, with a lower leg injury in the final minute of play.

January opened with two difficult road games against Brockton and St. Peter-Marian. Freshman guard Adham Floyd stepped into the starting lineup in place of Harrington and sophomore forward Drew Vittum came off the bench to play quality minutes. Both established themselves as talented and regular contributors on the team. Despite great effort in both games, the Pioneers' record fell to 4-3. Next, the team traveled to St. Bernard's, where Coach Bob Foley picked up career win #799 and a young team began to show promising chemistry. Junior forward Christian L'Hereux made his presence known with his tough defense and physical play. The St. B.'s win and enthusiasm over Coach's upcoming milestone proved to be a turning point.

Coach Foley hit the 800 mark in his next game against Holy Name. The squad continued to grow as a team and extended their win streak throughout the month of January. Harrington returned to the lineup in time for the SPM rematch and big win in front of a full house at the Pavilion. The team went 5-3 in their final month and sealed its playoff berth winning game #10 against Shrewsbury on Feb. 3rd. No one will soon forget the away overtime victory over Doherty on Feb. 13th. The team finished their regular season with a record of 14-6 and eager for playoffs to begin.

St. John's locked up 5th seed in Districts, earned a first round bye, and would face Saint Peter-Marian (4th seed) in the quarterfinals at Clark University. SJ came out firing on all cylinders and played their most complete game of the season. They won with balanced scoring, lockdown man-to-man defense, and solid rebounding. With an impressive 62-38 victory, they earned a trip back to WPI for the seventh consecutive year and a rematch with #1 Algonquin. The Pioneers won by a point and moved into the District Championship Game.

It was a well-played back and forth game. Both teams fought hard; neither could build a comfortable lead. In the end, Milford hit some big 3's that made the difference and SJ fell short by two points. Despite the disappointment, the Pioneers walked off the court with heads held high in true Pioneer spirit.

The team finished with a strong record of 16-7 and the pride that can only be felt by those who wear the red & white.

Seniors: Ken Harrington, Tarik Octave, Connor Kurtz, Michael Marfo, Aaron Hayden

Juniors: Alex Fisher, T J Kelley, Nana Danso, Christian L'Heureux, Charlie Murray

Sophomores: Stefan Masciarelli, Davon Jones, Stephen Palecki, Evan Roy, Drew Vittum, Bobby Spellane

Freshman: Adham Floyd, Nick Lukasevicz, Daniel Adu-Boateng (Mgr), Jacob Hayden (Mgr),
Jaydon Fisher (Mgr)

Fall Crew

The Fall 2012 season saw a lot of change from last year for the crew team. Not only did a strong group of seniors leave for their present university programs, but the team also experienced a revamping of the coaching staff. Saint John's Crew saw a changing of the guard within the varsity ranks with the newcomers Anthony Genna '05, Head Coach, and Scott Daniels'06, JV Coach.

Fortunately, the backbone of the SJ Crew program has remained unchanged with Coaches Gavin Kelley '08 and Andrew Boyd still heading up the Novice squad. Taking into account the new coaching staff and, thus, new coaching philosophy, this fall season was quite a success. This year's senior captains Nick Vangos and Evan Maranto provided strong leadership in 2012.

The Fall rowing season is made up of four six kilometer races, culminating with the Head of the Charles Regatta (Boston, MA) in which the top fourteen athletes compete against some of the best youth crews in the world. Overall, the SJ Crew had an admirable showing at the Charles, earning themselves an automatic entry for next year's race; and that goes along with the several medals earned by the team at races prior to the Charles. In order to add some fun to the Fall season, Saint John's also hosted the Radley College Boat Club, which is one of the top British "schoolboy" programs. This gave the boys a chance to row and mingle with rowers from England over the course of two days. Saint John's won the New Hampshire Championships and both the 8+ and 4+ crews finished 37th in their respective races.

This fall season has established a strong foundation for the upcoming spring season. This spring should see some good racing while in pursuit of a medal at the New England Interscholastic Rowing Association Regatta.

Seniors: Michael Beinor, Evan Maranto, Kevin McCarthy, Evan Myers, Michael Piekarz, Colin Theran, Nicholas Vangos, Matthew Walsh. James Zatsiorsky

Juniors: Cameron Bernstein, Zachariah Kent, Andrew O'Connor, Jaime Sullivan

Sophomores: Nolan Gauthier, Charles Inman,
Nathan Pietrowicz, Michael Ready

Freshman: Nate Auzenbergs

Spring Crew

This spring was a successful spring for the crew team as a whole. As the season progressed, every SJ crew grew stronger, rowed better, and ultimately became faster. Entering the championship race, Saint's John's crew was ranked in the top 10 (out of approximately 24 boats) in all boat divisions. This was accomplished by the abilities of our talented coaching staff, and more importantly, the hard work put in by all of the rowers.

The novice squad was, once again, coached by coaches Gavin Kelley and Andrew Boyd with the volunteer help of Mr. Bob Haddon. Under the guidance of these three coaches, the SJ Novice once again had a dominating season, winning the vast majority of races they entered. By the end of the season, the top novice boat was able to keep pace with the JV boats. The rowers from this spring's novice crew will undoubtedly become major contributors to the varsity crews in the coming seasons.

With the help of novice coaches, the varsity crew team was able to bring up approximately six novice rowers from the fall. Despite their lack of experience, these rowers pulled out all of the stops, with several of them making the top three boats. With the addition of these new rowers coupled with the off-season training done by the returning varsity members, the varsity squad was primed to turn some heads this spring season. All-in-all the top four boats raced very well this season, winning the majority of races they entered, setting the team up for a high overall finish at the New England Champs.

It was at this championship regatta that the varsity rowers put aside the terrible weather and nerves, and pulled through with some very strong racing. The 3V boat placed 3rd overall, beating 4th by a nail-biting 0.05 seconds, bringing home a bronze medal. The 2V raced hard, placing 5th overall, only 0.2 seconds behind 4th place. The 1V placed 7th overall, winning the Petite Finals, and beating several crews they had lost too previously in the season. Overall, Saint John's placed 4th in New England, only 1 team point behind Kent for 3rd place.

A special thanks goes out to all of the seniors, all of whom had something to offer in terms of honesty, dedication, perserverence, and leadership: Michael Beinor, Evan Maranto, Kevin McCarthy, Evan Myers, Michael Piekarz, Colin Theran, Nick Vangos, Matthew Walsh, and James Zatsiorsky.

Cross Country

The Cross Country team experienced a fantastic season, with a team of some of the strongest runners to ever run for Saint John's, led by senior co-captains Alex Crowley and Jon Green.

The team knew it would be a great season at the Wachusett dual meet. Although Colin Bennie took first for the race, Alex Crowley, junior Connor Murphy, Jon Green, and senior Kyle Johnson took the next four spots bringing the team to victory, with a score of 22-34. The team then showed how well they stood at a big invitational, much like the District meet, at the Ocean State Invitational at Goddard State Park, in Warwick, RI. Jon Green swept the competition coming in first, with a time of 15:29. Not only did Green come in first, but Alex Crowley, Connor Murphy, and Kyle Johnson all placed in the top fifteen. The team came in first out of nine teams with a total of 44 points, compared to second place that scored 72 points.

The runners returned to Wachusett to participate in the Wachusett Invitational. The meet was successful for the team placed first of eight against schools such as Wachusett, Newton South, Algonquin, and Shepherd Hill. Jon Green took second place in the meet, with a time of 15:55, beating his previous course record. Once again, Alex Crowley, Kyle Johnson, Connor Murphy, and sophomore Alex Couture took third, ninth, twelfth, and fourteenth, respectively. Saint John's took first with a total of 37 points compared to Wachusett with a total of 39 points. Saint John's took on some of the best teams in the state at the Bay State Invitational at Northfield Mountain. Teams at the Invitational included Shrewsbury, Wachusett, St. John's Prep, and Lexington. Jonathan Green won the individual title with a time of 15:54. Alex Crowley, Kyle Johnson, Connor Murphy, Alex Couture, and sophomore Alex Schroeder backed Green to take first in the meet, with a total of 60 points.

At the District meet, the team won its 3rd-consecutive Division I District championship with a total of 35 points. Jonathan Green took the individual title with a course-record time (by 10 seconds) of 13:50. The team – also consisting of Alex Crowley (4th), Kyle Johnson (7th), Connor Murphy (8th), freshman Harry Maloy (15th), Alex Couture (16th), and Alex Schroeder (24th), with alternates senior Tom O'Donnell, sophomore Garrett Roy, and freshman Peter Monahan – finished with 35 points, and won by 13.

At the State Meet at Northfield Mountain, Jon Green repeated as the Division I State champion in 15:30, winning by 12 seconds and beating the course record by 16. The team finished in 7th place.

Six Saint John's runners raced in the Foot Locker Northeast Regional at Van Cortlandt Park in the Bronx. Jon Green qualified for his 2nd-consecutive National Championships (where he again finished 22nd of 40 runners) by finishing 2nd in the seeded race, while Alex Crowley finished 45th. Kyle Johnson won the senior race. Connor Murphy was 3rd in the junior race. Garrett Roy and Jeremy Canfield were 29th and 44th in the sophomore race. Harry Maloy and Peter Monahan were 4th and 10th in the freshman race.

Six of the top 10 are returning next fall, with some strong experienced runners to support and compete with them. We look forward to another exciting fall.

Seniors: Liam Finnerty, John Halloran Andrew Donahue, Jonathan Green, Alex Crowley, Kyle Johnson, James Cheney, Thomas O'Donnell, Forrest Owen, Dylan Paddock, Justin Lim

Juniors: Leo Pagano, Connor Murphy, Ryan Dix, Zane Ostoin, Benjamin Sarkis, Anthony Jreije, Jonathan Melberg, Colin O'Connor Stephen Shimkus

Sophomores: Jeremy Canfield, Nick Murner, Ben Adams, Alex Couture, Neil Fitzgerald, Garrett Roy, Alex Schroeder, Stefan Masciarelli, Colin Buckley, John DeFlumeri, Jack Martin, Benjamin Rizk, John Rosano, Tyler Sagerstrom

Freshmen: Zach Crowley, Harry Maloy, Peter Monahan, Shayne Brenner, Sean Fedor, Jacob Lachapelle, Matthew Martella, Daniel North, Heath Ostoin, Alyxandr Srnka

Football

The Saint John's Football team put together two four-game wining streaks, suffered a four-game losing streak during October and overcame obstacles and adversity, earning a third straight Central MA Division I Super Bowl appearance. The team finished 8-5, and was the Central MA Division I Runner-up, losing to Leominster in a hard-fought Super Bowl match-up at Fitchburg State.

Returning starting quarterback and team captain Connor Kurtz suffered a season-ending knee injury on the second play of the Brockton scrimmage. Senior captains John Giacoppe, Barron Dandridge and Shadrach Abrokwah provided the leadership necessary to overcome the early setback and prepare a relatively young team for a difficult schedule in and out of Central Massachusetts.

The month of September featured a home opening win against Holy Name 47-40, a win against Longmeadow 35-16, and impressive road wins at Catholic Memorial 21-6 and Wachusett 46-14. St. John's established its offensive prowess, recording total yardage in excess of 400 yards per game in each of the first four games.

Junior quarterback Andrew Smiley stepped in following the injury to Connor Kurtz and established himself early as an outstanding dual threat quarterback in the no-huddle "blur" offense. Senior running back Shadrach Abrokwah provided the Pioneers with a punishing running attack, including a five touchdown performance against Wachusett. Micah Cummins was dominant as a possession receiver and downfield blocker in the Saint John's offensive attack. Both Abrokwah and Smiley would go on to earn Worcester Telegram & Gazette All Star selections.

October proved challenging for the Pioneers. Three losses were decided in the final minutes against Shrewsbury 51-46, Leominster 37-34 and Xaverian 33-31. St. John's Prep, the 2012 Eastern MA Division I Champion handed the Pioneers a 49-8 loss, in a game that Saint John's offense gained over 433 yards of total offense behind the running of Abrokwah, and sure-handed receiving corps of TJ Kelley, John Giacoppe and Michael McGillicuddy.

Facing a .500 record, Saint John's entered November with the challenge of winning its way to a playoff appearance. Senior leadership proved critical to the effort, leading to a road win at Fitchburg 48-33, an overtime win at Milford 41-39, and a hard-fought Thanksgiving Day 14-7 win over St. Peter Marian. Saint John's earned a playoff spot and drew the #2 seed Wachusett. Battling the Mountaineers to a 21-19 playoff road game win included SJ stopping Wachusett on a two-point conversion late in the game.

The Pioneers' defense was the story during the playoff run. Seniors Barron Dandridge, Kyle Roy, Jimmy Andreoli, Matt Murphy, Jonah Westerlind and Andrew Sullivan each caused and/or recovered key turnovers that were impact plays down the stretch and in the Super Bowl.

Saint John's advanced to the Central MA Division I Super Bowl facing Leominster High School on a snow-covered Fitchburg State field. After a first half effort that featured three recovered turnovers and a defensive score by Saint John's, the Leominster offense outscored the Pioneers in the second half, going on to win 42-32.

Saint John's placed Micah Cummins, Andrew Smiley, Michael Griffin, John Giacoppe and Barron Dandridge on the Central MA Division I All-Star Team. Shadrach Abrokwah was named Division I All-Star and Offensive MVP.

Seniors: Shadrach Abrokwah, Micah Cummins, John Giacoppe, Barron Dandridge, Michael Griffin, Kyle Roy, Connor Kurtz, Jonah Westerlind, Matt Murphy, Brendan Donnelly, Ian Jankauskas, Eric Monahan, Andrew Sullivan, Jimmy Andreol, Zack Aicardi, Aaron Hayden

Juniors: Andrew Smiley, Jeff DeMango, T J Kelley, Camden Murphy, Dillon Cassanelli, Dan Crowley, Brad Sylvester, Mahi Shapally, William Alexander, Quinn Griffin, Thomas Musgrove, Samir Kafel, Rocco Frongillo, Michael McGillicuddy , Michael Hatch, Dan O'Rourke, Connor Gatto, Yatim Hassan, Nick Ginisi, Alex Kennedy, Michael Villa, Isaac Salmu, Michael Duquette, Patrick Holland, Patrick Ryan, Alex Pappas, Mike McKiernan

Sophomores: Davon Jones, Sam Norton, Jack Coveney

Golf

For seventh time, the St. John's Golf Team are State Champions! The 2012 team featured six returning players, including senior captains Dan Lynch and Keeghan Lavin, seniors Joe Plante and Nick DiReda, and juniors Eddy Black and Dan Woodbury. Freshman Tim Umphrey had a strong start to a great year with a hole in one at Kettlebrook Golf Club in tryouts. In addition to Umphrey, juniors Mark Sullivan and Jon Fritz, sophomores Jared Ward and Sam Schmitt, and freshman Cam Gresham made the team for the first time. Combined, these twelve players made up an incredibly deep and talented team.

The team started out the season with big wins over some of the best teams in the state, including BC High, Longmeadow, and rival St. John's Prep. The team was led by strong play from Nick DiReda, who fired a 5-under-par 31 at Wachusett Country Club against St. Peter-Marian. Black, Woodbury, Lynch, and Plante had strong starts to their season, as the Pioneers had seven players averaging under 40 for the year. After being upset by Wachusett at Holden Hills, the team finished strong, losing only to St. John's Prep at Salem Country Club. The Pioneers finished 17-2, a record that included under par team totals against Xaverian, and St. Peter- Marian.

The District Tournament was held at Gardner Municipal Country Club. The team placed second and qualified for the State Tournament behind Shrewsbury High, who was led by a 3-under-par 68 from Nick Rodriguez. Although the Pioneers had no low scores, they featured an astounding feat, having five of six players under 80. Nick DiReda, Keeghan Lavin, and Dan Woodbury all shot 77, qualifying them for the individual section of the State Tournament, while Lynch and Plante finished a shot behind at 78. Eddy Black shot 82.

Although the Pioneers did not win their district, the team still felt confident that they could win as they headed in to the State Tournament. Mother Nature had something to say about the event, just as she did in 2011. Hurricane Sandy moved the tournament back from October 29 to November 5 at Norton Country Club. The forty degree and windy weather saw high scores. The Pioneers were led by Eddy Black who shot 76, Nick DiReda at 78, and Keeghan Lavin who came in with a 79. Joe Plante and Dan Lynch both shot 82. After four scores, the Pioneers were tied at 315 with BC High. A card off ensued. Using Lynch's score and the next lowest BC High score, St. John's was crowned champion, winning by one stroke! Lynch's amazing finish of three straight birdies locked up a repeat! The Championship was Coach Prendiville's astounding 7th and his 5th since 2005!

Seniors: Nicholas DiReda, Keeghan Lavin, Daniel Lynch, Joseph Plante

Juniors: Edward Black, Jonathan Fritz, Mark Sulliva, Daniel Woodbury

Sophomores:Samuel Schmitt, Jared Ward

Freshmen: Timothy Umphrey, Cameron Gresham

Ice Hockey

Coming into the season, the 2013 Varsity Hockey team was unsure of how the team would do against other top teams in the state. This was partially due to the 16 new players on the team, many of whom were underclassmen. Coming out of the gates with a huge victory over one of Connecticut's top programs in Xavier High, the team proceeded to go 0-5 in the next 5 games against some of the top teams both in the state and in New England.

After a consolation game win in the prestigious Silverback Hockey classic tournament against Framingham, the team reeled off a 4-2-4 in the next 10 games with big wins against Saint-Peter Marian and Shrewsbury, and ties against top teams such as Archbishop Williams, Arlington Catholic, and rival Xaverian.

Great leadership by seniors Nick Capalbo, Chris Coveney, Dan Hicks, and Matt Moynagh, clutch play by younger players such as Jared Weatherbee, Danny Barlok, Mike McGillicudy, Kevin Quinlavin, and Pat Storer, combined with terrific defense by Bryan Nelson, Conor McCann, and Brendan Doherty, and terrific goaltending by Mario Pizzeri lead the Pioneers to this point.

With 5 games remaining, the Pioneers were in the thick of the playoff hunt, but injuries to key players began to derail the team through this last stretch. In this time, players such as goalie Matt Andrews stepped up and provided a lot of fight and energy for the team down the stretch. The Pioneers finished at 7-11-4 and got great seasons out of everyone, and the team is expected to be a top contender behind returning captains Bryan Nelson and Mario Pizzeri next season.

Seniors: Dan Hicks, Chris Coveney, Matt Moynagh, Nick Capalbo, Nick Hayden (Mgr), Chris Uhl (Mgr)

Juniors: Matt Andrews, Conor McCann, Connor Maloney, Bryan Nelson, Joshua Howe, Kevin Butler, Michael McGillicuddy, Dan Vigeant, Chris Adams, Mario Pizzeri, Ian Wetherbee, Kevin Connelly, Matt Pieciak

Sophomores: Brendan Doherty, Danny Barlock, Kevin Quinlivan, Garrett Lehan, Jared Ward, Patrick Storer

Freshmen: Chris Stalmok, Jared Wetherbee

Lacrosse

The 2013 varsity lacrosse team finished the season at 19-4 and won what is probably the last Central MA District Championship, due to realignment in 2014. This was St. John's 5th District Championship, tying for the most by any team.

The team came into the season as underdogs for the district title but showed outstanding depth and senior leadership at every position leading to their ultimate success. The high scoring attack unit seemed to always have one or more match-up advantages but the team's success also relied on strong two-way midfield play, a five-man defensive rotation, strong defensive midfield play, and excellent goaltending.

This year's team was able to adapt its style of play and win high or low scoring games. Once again, the team played the toughest schedule of any team in Central MA that included 5 games against traditional eastern lacrosse powers, playing 4 of the top teams in Western MA, and making 6 bus trips longer than an hour away. By the season's end, the 2013 squad went 13-0 vs Central MA teams, went 4-2 in the "far" away games, was 3-0 in overtime games, and had signature wins over Acton-Boxborough and Xaverian, the eventual Division I champion.

Despite being the number 1 seed for the Central MA playoffs the team had the most difficult bracket and had to defeat Westborough (#5), Algonquin (#4), and Grafton (#2) all for a second time to win the championship. The team lost in the State Semi-Finals to the eventual champions, Longmeadow.

The defense was led by Brian Adams, John DeFlumeri, Aidan Fox, Bryan Nelson and Will Roberts. The goal was anchored by AJ Arnold. The defensive midfield was covered by Dillon Cassanelli, Ryan Jefts, and Connor Rocco '14 along with long stick midfielders Jeff Lukasevicz and Cole Quitadamo.

Seniors: A J Arnold, Brian Adams, Aidan Fox, Connor Long, Jeff Lukasevicz, Hunter Burdick, Josh Freilich Michael Kozub, Robert Migliaccio, Nicholas Quitadamo

Juniors: Drew Smiley, Kevin Butler, Dillon Cassanell, Nick Gabriele, Joshua Howe, Ryan Jefts, Steven Kerr, Connor Maloney, Bryan Nelson, William Roberts, Patrick Ryan

Sophomores: John DeFlumeri, Parker Jean, Connor Rocco

Freshman: Andrew Cox

Skiing

The Alpine Ski Team had an extremely successful season in 2013. Led by seniors John Buchholz '13, Nate Kowal '13, and Cole Quitadamo '13, the team once again won the Central Massachusetts Ski Conference, a tradition that the seniors have continued all four years on the team. After the winning the division, the team traveled to Berkshire East for the MIAA State Championship. Nate Kowal '13, Nate Dexter '13, Cole Quitadamo '13, Jared Kronlund '16, and Brad Sampson '16, qualified to represent Saint John's, along with alternate John Buchholz '13. While a championship title remained out of reach, the team had a good showing and represented themselves well.

The future of the team has been left in the capable hands of captains Jon Melberg '14, Steven Johnson '14, and Pat Simon '15. They, along with Jared and Brad, are going to be left with the responsibility of leading the team through their experience. After graduating ten seniors from the team, the immense depth of the team is left with the challenge of filling their shoes and following their example of teamwork, sportsmanship, and success set by the coaching staff. Mr. Blondin of the Computer Science department and Mr. Williams of the Math department both worked tirelessly to ensure the success of the team as a whole.

Success has come easily to the Ski Team over the past several years both on and off the mountain. While the graduating seniors leave the team with a 113-5 record, they also have left a long lasting legacy of sportsmanship of the veteran racers would stay and watch the rookies perform their run, and provide critiques to help advance the skills of the entire team, not solely the core "Varsity Eight." This team spirit will continue to spread into the future.

Seniors: John Buchholz, Patrick Collins, Tim Degnan, Nathan Dexter, Matthew Fish, Robert Gurlitz, Nate Kowal, Joseph Malenchini, Jay Park, Cole Quitadamo

Juniors: William Goddard, Steven Johnson, Jonathan Melberg, Chris Palace

Sophomores: Andrew Baublis, Nicholas Blondin, Mitchell Earley, James Goggins, James Hojnoski, Nick Kostiw, Paul Letsky, Nick Murner, Justin Myers, Patrick Simon, Adriano Soares, Andrew Tomasino

Freshmen: Thomas Goddard, Jack Hamlin, Jared Kronlund, Nathaniel Mezitt, Bradley Sampson, Christian Suglia, Nicholas Tagg

Soccer

The Saint John's varsity team was immersed in a re-building season from the start. There were obstacles to overcome giving consideration to the previous year's records. With this understanding in mind, coach Ken Salsman worked with the seniors and underclassmen to rejuvenate a mindset and competitive style of play that would lead to good results throughout the season and build a solid foundation for the program's future success. Captains Mike Kotsopoulos '13, Nicholas White '13, Nicholas Flowers '14, and Aidan Lucey '15 worked hard to lead SJ soccer in 2012.

Saint John's varsity team players worked hard and overcame adversity which not only earned results but helped these young men find respect in themselves and in each other. Although the team finished the season with a 4 - 13 - 2 record it was their determination and commitment that set them up for an exciting post season in district competition.

Post season play found Saint John's as the low seed in Central Massachusetts, having to compete in first round play against Nashoba Regional. Nashoba was tied for third with Algonquin Regional and on a coin toss drew Saint John's. The varsity team won a hard fought match over Nashoba with a 1- 0 score at Nashoba.

This win put Saint John's back in the limelight. With only a day to regroup Saint John's journeyed to Leominster for a Sunday afternoon match against the Blue Devils. The game went scoreless with Saint John's having the upper hand on chances at goal, though Leominster ended Saint John's season with a late goal in the second half with only minutes to play. What the team learned was that hard work, commitment, and the ability to trust each other are not only components needed to win in sports but are important traits needed to guide us through life.

Saint John's is proud of the seniors that helped guide each other and their underclassmen teammates through a turbulent soccer season and re-build a program leaving a solid foundation for future success.

Seniors: Lawrence Gay, Paul Harris, Colin Hughes, Mike Kotsopoulos, Harrison Kreh, David (Joe) Lizotte, Matt Powell, Nick White, James Mooney

Juniors: Matt Castle, Sam Coveney, Kyle Dubuque, Nick Flowers, Dan Horgan, Nik Papamitrou, William Roberts, Andrew Sjogren

Sophomores: Ryan Darnley, Sean Foley, John Gialanella, Mia Soo Kim, Aidan Lucey, Brian Sailer

Swimming & Diving

The Saint John's Swimming and Diving Team had a phenomenal 2012-2013 regular season, going undefeated for the first time in recent history. The team also had a record performance in the playoff season, coming in second out of six teams in the Catholic Conference League Meet and third overall in the State Meet behind Westford and Saint John's Prep.

At Harvard for the Div.1 State Meet on February 17, the SJ Swimming and Diving Team achieved their best finish ever, climbing up from 5th place seed to 3rd place. The team scored 144.5 points in the meet, where last year they came in 13th with 73 points.

Senior Captains Richie Smith and Declan Lyons lead the team at each 6:00–7:30 AM practice and at each victory of the undefeated season. In addition to an outstanding team effort, the Saint John's Swimming and Diving team had some impressive individual efforts as well. Captain Richie Smith, Sophomore Peter DelMastro, and Freshman Millard Lawson broke Saint John's High School records in the 100-yard breaststroke, the 500-yard freestyle, and the 100-yard butterfly. Jack Dallmeyer, Declan Lyons, Ethan Lawson, Jason Niness, Alexander Sullivan, and Kilian Dickson also gave fantastic efforts all season long and made great contributions to the incredible season. Junior Patch Ryan had a notable diving performance, making the State cut. With the graduation of Richie, Declan, JD, Ethan, and Kevin, the SJ team will need to begin fitness training/swim conditioning very soon to be ready for the 2013-2014 edition of SJ Swimming and Diving. The 2012-2013 team has put SJ on the map, we now need to stay on course to keep our standing.

Special thanks go to Coach Dana Hodges, Coach Bill Prendiville, and Coach Scott Niness for their dedication to this team. A special thank you goes out to all the parents and fans who supported the SJ swimming and diving effort this season!

Seniors: Jack Dallmeyer, Kevin Harrington, Ethan Lawson, Declan Lyons, Richard Smith

Juniors: Patrick Ryan, Thomas Carroll, Jacob Dubois, Michael Henry, Colin O'Connor, Jeremy Rocco

Sophomores: Peter DelMastro, Jason Niness, Nathan Pietrowicz, Nolan Ryan, Alexander Sullivan, Hector Bucaro, Gianfranco Cesareo, Ben Fitzpatrick, Tae Hyeon Kim, Timothy Kelly, Porter Magnuson, Andre Pourhakopian

Freshmen: Millard Lawson, Benjamin Church, Michael Daring, Killian Dickson, Vincenzo Malo, Christopher Nelson, Arthur Singas

Tennis

The 2013 tennis season began drills in March with extremely high hopes that a fruitful season might be forthcoming. After all, the same nucleus that had competed in three straight state final matches was returning. Healthy and hard-working players, a competitive schedule, and experienced leaders were all ingredients that promised a successful run.

The season had a plethora of high points. Senior Chris Ellis '13 captured his fourth straight Central MA individual title. The only loss for Dylan Fletcher '13 came from Ellis in a three-set loss at the individuals. Lucas Tata '13 was a tremendous constant at third singles and one the Pioneer Award. Wes Arnold '14 and Dave Hennessy '13 won their second consecutive Central MA doubles title. Alden Hosmer '13 - who proved to be the most improved player over his four years at Saint John's - and Nick Ellis '14, along with Mitch Axelson '14 handled the second doubles point with outstanding efficiency.

The final record of the team was 23-2. The team prevailed over excellent programs such as Westboro, Shrewsbury High, St. John's Prep, B.C. High, Lexington, Needham, Wellesley, and Longmeadow. In the end, Saint John's was crowned the District East champion for the 10th time in the last 13 seasons.

The state final match against B.C. High was extremely competitive. Saint John's lost the match 3-2 to an excellent team that had the answers in the title match.

Coaches Ed and Gerry Hippert will attempt to build another strong contending team in 2014. Lettermen Wes Arnold, Nick Ellis, and Mitch Axelson should all contribute wonderful qualities for the upcoming season.

Seniors: Dylan Fletcher, Chris Ellis, David Hennessy, Saarik Kalia, Michael Crochetiere (Manager)
Alden Hosmer, Lucas Tata

Juniors: Wes Arnold, Nick Elliis, Mitch Axelson, Santiago Angaramo, Mahi Shapally, Reshav Mehtani
Kayanush Patel

Sophomores: Mehdi Haidir, Matthew Freije, Nicholas Murner, Jonathan Dupre, Jack Marsh

Freshman: Ruchir Chaturvedi

Indoor Track

The indoor track team experienced one of its most successful seasons in the past several years. Led by senior captains Alex Crowley, Jonathan Green, Dylan Paddock and Matt Powell, the team captured its second ever Tri-County League Championship, besting B.C High, Brockton, Catholic Memorial, Malden Catholic, St. John's Prep and Xaverian for the team title. The team showed lots of depth with only two individual winners: Jonathan Green and Connor Murphy, capping off the win by taking the last two events (4 X 200 & 4 X 400) with the title on the line.

Eleven individual athletes and all three relays qualified individually for the Division I state championship. The team finished 4th overall at the meet, the highest Saint John's team finish since 2008. At the All-State meet a week later the team finished in 8th place (also the strongest finish since 2008), led by Jonathan Green's repeat as All-State champion in the 2-Mile. Alex Crowley, Jonathan Green and Connor Murphy all qualified for the New England High School Championships.

Seven team members (Alex Crowley, Ryan Dix, Jonathan Green, Kyle Johnson, Greg Moschella, Connor Murphy and Dylan Paddock) capped off a great season by travelling to New York City and competing at the New Balance National Championships.

Seniors: Shadrach Abrokwah, Alex Crowley, Andrew Donahue, Jonathan Green, John Haloran, Kyle Johnson, Justin Lim, Nick Mercadante, Eric Monahan, Dylan Paddock, Matt Powel, Chris Puglia, Ryan Sarasin, Andrew Sullivan, Ryvel Tetteh, David Hutchins

Juniors: Ryan Dix, Greg Lee, Connor Murphy, Frederico Pina, Matthew Santoso, Joseph Atchue, Benjamin Sarkis

Sophomores: Tom Cimino, Alex Couture, Charlie Inman, Matthew Jarrell, Garrett Roy, Ben Adams, Jeremy Canfield, Joshua Chrobak, Mehdi Haide, Jackson Henn, Luke Jordan, Daniel Kimmit, Timothy McMaster, Tyler Sagerstrom, Matthew Tauras

Freshmen: Jackson Ennis, Harry Maloy, Greg Moschella, James Gardiner, Timothy Gay, Michael Knox, Derek Lefebvre, Peter Monahan, Mitchell Owen, Michael Pagacik, Jacob Slarskey, Eric Wicks

Outdoor Track

The outdoor track team had one of its most successful seasons in the past several years, led by senior captains Alex Crowley, Jonathan Green, Dylan Paddock and Matt Powell.

The team completed its very brief dual meet season with a 3-2 record, but won three team titles at big invitational meets. First, at the freshman/sophomore Invitational at Notre Dame Hingham topping a field of over 50 other schools; First place at the District E relays for the first time since 2009; and First place at the District E Invitational for the first time since 2009.

In a sport where one must qualify for late season invitational meets by performance, St. John's had an astounding 23 guys and all three relays qualify for the combined Division I Central Mass/Western Mass sectional championship.

The team finished 3rd at the sectional meet, with Alex Crowley, Ryan Dix, Kyle Johnson, and Chris Puglia in the 4 X 800 relay all qualifying for All-States.

Seniors: Shadrach Abrokwah, Alex Crowley, Jonathan Green, Kyle Johnson, Jim Knowles, Justin Lim Nick Mercadante, Eric Monahan, Forrest Owen, Dylan Paddock, Matt Powell, Chris Puglia, Ryan Sarasin, Andrew Sullivan, Ryvel Tetteh, Quinn Bonner, Sam Carter, John Giacoppe, Joe Lizotte, Matthew Murphy, Kyle Roy

Juniors: Ryan Dix, Anthony Jreije, Greg Lee, Connor Murphy, Leo Pagano, Alex Pappas, Matthew Santoso, Benjamin Sarkis, John Anastasi, Joseph Atchue, Peter Bardetti, Thomas Carroll, Tim Deedy, Ara Hagopian, Klaudio Nuredini, Greg Pappas, Matt Pieciak, Steve Shimkus, Brad Sylvester, Andrew Walsh, Brandon Wood

Sophomores: Tom Cimino, Alex Couture, Mark Puglia, Nolan Ryan, Ben Adams, Timothy Adams, Colin Buckley, Jeremy Canfield, Joseph Corey, Neil Fitzgerald, Anthony Franzoso, Jack Hanna, Matthew Jarrell, Min Soo Kim, Tae Hyeon Kim, Samuel Kloczkowski, Sangmin Lee, Stefan Masciarelli, Stephen Paleck, Brendan Ritchie, Benjamin Rizk, John Rosano, Tyler Sagerstrom, Camden Schade, Alex Schroeder

Freshmen: Jackson Ennis, Harry Maloy, Peter Monahan, Greg Moschella, Shayne Brenner, Zachary Crowley, Sean Doran, Adam French, Timothy Gay, Jacob Lachapelle, Gregory Laporte, Byron Morataya, Michael Knox, Mitchell Owen, Joseph Powell, Eric Wicks

Volleyball

The 2013 Varsity Volleyball team had a difficult record in 2013 with 4-13, but that did not keep the team from coming together, working hard, and showing their dedication.

Senior captains DJ Hutchins and Mike Ethier helped create this culture with their strong leadership. Other seniors JC Wick, Jonathan Jones, and Mike Wall also contributed with their hard work and unquestionable attitudes.

Juniors Christian L'Heureux, Alex Fisher, Andrew Sjogren, Rob O'Gara, Mike Bunsick, Matt Sargent, and Mike Smalanskas are looking forward to 2014 and a chance to flip around their record.

Saint John's best game in the 2013 volleyball season was against Boston College High. The team had recently lost in five sets to BC High a few weeks earlier and were about to play them in their gym. The Pioneers had to start a few players out of position; a tactic this seemed to really help. Saint John's won the game in four sets. This game helped to bond the team and rededicate their training efforts during practice for the remainder of the year.

Seniors: David (DJ) Hutchins, Jonathan Jones, John Wick, Michael Wall, Michael Ethier

Juniors: Michael Bunsick, Christian L'Heureux, Robert O'Gara, Kevin O'Connell, Alex Fisher, Andrew Sjogren, Michael Smalanskas, Matt Sargen

Freshman: Colby Fisher (Videographer)

Wrestling

The Saint John's Varsity wrestling team completed its most successful season in school's history, winning 17 dual meets while losing only 5. The team went undefeated at home, beating rivals Xaverian 52-10 and Billerica 48-25. Those wins were especially satisfying on the heels of losses against the same schools in the 2011-12 season. Seniors Zack Harris, Chaz Clements, Matt Haley, Larry Gay, Pat Carmody, Ian Kelly, James Goljan, Liam Barry and Gino Digioia all contributed to the team's success as did juniors Peter Robinson, Johnston Wheeler, Alex OConnor, Connor Gatto, and Thatcher Van Atten. Underclassmen Matt Smith, Brian Connery, Nick Blasko, Eddie Vickers and Ryan Hartt also had a hand in key wins this season. Wrestling is both a team and individual sport. Saint John's had one of its most exciting sectional tournaments ever, in which the team claimed three champions. This marks the first time in Saint John's history that three wrestlers won sectional titles (Peter Robinson, Zack Harris and Connor Gatto). Matt Haley also qualified for States at the Sectional tournament, where he placed fifth. Four Saint John's wrestlers qualified for the State tournament, three competed in the All-State tournament, and two – Peter Robinson (12th) and Zack Harris (8th) - placed in the 2013 New England's. Zack Harris, Peter Robinson, and Connor Gatto all had outstanding seasons. All proved to be some of the best wrestlers in the state at their respective weight classes.

Senior captain Zack Harris and Junior captains Peter Robinson and Connor Gatto exhibited leadership in their competitions, in the classroom, and throughout the season. Both Zack Harris and Peter Robinson received many inquiries from collegiate programs who are interested in their future athletic and academic careers.

Seniors: Zachary Harris, Matthew Haley, Lawrence Gay, Ian Kelly, Patrick Carmody, James Goljan, Liam Barry, Gino DiGioia (Mgr)

Juniors: Peter Robinson, Edward VanAtten, Phil Wheeler, Dante DiGioia, Alex O'Connor, Alec Nazzaro, Michael Nazzaro, John Goggins

Sophomores: Enzo DiGioia, Colin Snay, Matthew Smith, Tayler Abramo, John Mazzone

Freshmen: Nick Blasko, Bryan Connery, Edward Vickers, Ryan Hartt, Zachary Bryant, Nicholas Bohigian, Joseph Wall

JV Athletics

Football

Nicholas Greer, Morgan McSweeney, John Mooney, Marc-Eddy Paul, Nicholas Calvano, Bobby Spellane, Finn Miller, Michael Krumsiek, Jack Hanna, Xavier Marerro, Sam Kloczkowski, Anthony Moroski, Anthony Franzoso, James Hojnoski, Patrick McMahon, Nicholas Kostiw, Nicholas Blondin, Alex Black, Brett Cotter, Mitchell Earley, Andrew Baublis, Matthew Culhane, Joseph Tamilio-Awed, Bailey Lemieux, Matthew Tauras, Nolan Ryan, William McNamee, Dante Brindisi, Patrick Lehane, MacBrien Nkongchu, Sean Ragan

Golf

Ryan Bowman, Brian Eddy, Matthew Foley, Joseph Kapur, John Mazzone, Liam McNeil, Steven Pizzarella, Jordan Walker, Jacob Cranston, Nate Mezitt, Joseph Murphy, Matthew Stephens

Soccer

Dante Digioia, Klaudio Nuredini, Alexander O'Connor, Henry Thoreen, Dimitri Savidis, Jack Caron, Kaleb Dieterle, Parker Bull, Tyler Hartman, Matthew Jarrell, Patrick Kellicker, Max Kotsopoulos, Garret Kutzko, Patrick Long, Trevor Ritchie, Connor Rocco, Michael Ryan, Griffin Swedberg, Justin Vlass, Timothy Whittredge, Andrew Jordan, Sangmin Lee

Basketball

Joseph Fontaine, Nick Greer, Matthew Nelson, Marc-Eddy Paul, Mark Puglia, Brendan Ritchie,
Robert Rousseau, Christian Savage, Andrew St. Pierre, Joe Lewis

JV Hockey Red

Ted Batchelder, Zach Burke, Jonathan Dupre, Matthew Gentile, Brian Hamblet, Garret Kutzko, Ben LaPointe, Tyler McKeon, Kurt Moss, Timothy Oger, Samuel Rogers, Travis Sims, Mason Wildgrube, Matthew Wilson, Michael Wise, Nick Beaudoin, Jonathon Butts, Liam Doherty, Alex Franchi, Matthew Negrott, Michael Parente

JV Hockey White

Brian Campbell, Jack Caron, Kyle Dickson, Brendan Halloran, Tucker Lindgren, Jared Ridgeway, Camden Schade, Alex Stassis, Colin Streeter, Shane Vigeant, Max German, Daniel Jussaume, Matt Kovacs, Joe Laursen, James Levesque, Charles Michaud, Jake Morgan, Lucas Utter, Marco Vitale, Tom Walsh, Zach Zarella

Baseball

Daniel Barlok, Alex Black, Matthew Dowling, Mitchell Earley, Brian Eddy, Jared Freilich, Ryan Kapopoulos, Charlie McDonald, Tyler McKeon, Morgan McSweeney, Lewis Willmuth, Jacob Byczko, Craig Corliss, Anthony Froio, Samuel Shaw, Jared Wetherbee

Lacrosse

Brendan Riordan, Andrew Brooks, James Calderini, Christopher Coburn, Jack Coveney, Brendan Doherty, Andrew Donadio, Liam Donovan, Brian Hamblet, Anthony Iandoli, Patrick McMahon, Kurt Moss, Jared Ridgway,
Samuel Rogers, Patrick Storer, Matthew Tauras, Jared Ward, Dominic Faiola, Jacob O'Donnell, Michael Fritschy, Hunter Gaither, Devin Greene

Volleyball

Jonathan Vasquez, John Harris, Joseph Petty, Josiah Hardwick, Michael Krumsiek, Jack Caron, Henri Wick, Bailey Lemieux, Evan Sutherland, Daniel North, Joseph Wall, Mitchell Yip

Freshman Athletics

Football

Abosi, Brian, Abruzzi, Eric, Angel, Josh, Bernard Christian, Bohigian, Nicholas, Boyer, Luke, Bryant, Zachary, Byczko, Jacob, Cassidy, Timothy, Church, Benjamin, Coderre, Zachary, Comeau, Derek, Cooney, Griffin, Corinna, Michael, Cronin, Alexander, Culbert, Brian, Cutroni, Christian, Deso, John, DiVerdi, Joseph, Doran, Sean, Ford, Liam, Gaudette, Connor, Ginisi, Christian, Goggins, James, Goodhue, Samuel, Grautski, Zachary, Greene, Devin, Hunt, Hugo, Issa, Mubarak, Kamel, Nathan, Laporte, Gregory, Lavoie, Nicholas, Lee, Nathaniel, Lefebvre, Derek, Lewis, Joseph, Lucey, Cameron, Lundin, Joshua, MacKay, Brendan, McCarthy, John, McGowan, Jackson, Nashef, Abdul, O'Donnell, Jake, Pasquale, Derek, Plifka, John, Quinn, Michael, Sacco, Joseph, Saproschetz, Nikolai, Schold, Jeremy, Shaw, Samuel, Slarskey, Jacob, Terry, Travis, Virostek, Markus, Wheeler, Andrew, Wicks, Eric, Zarrella, Zachary

Soccer

Nicholas Blasko, John Buckley, Bryan Connery, Jackson Ennis, Adam French, Timothy Gay, Thomas Goddard, Sal Hughes, Daniel Jussaume, Liam Kelleher, Michael Knox, Greg Moschella, John Massarelli, Byron Morataya, Andrew Morrison, Ruari Morrison, Michael Pugacik, Michael Sarkis, Ryan Sheehy, Kyle Splaine

Basketball

James Amorello, Nate Auzenbergs, Brian Abosi, Andrew Cox, Jacob Cranston, Stephen Faucher, Adam French, Brendan Gallagher, Dylan Holmes, Joseph Murphy, John Massarelli, Mac-Brian Nkongchu, Sean Ragan

Baseball

Eric Abruzzi, Timothy Cassidy, Derek Comeau, Joseph Diverdi, Steven Faucher, Matthew Franzoso, Brendan Gallagher, Connor Gaudette, Kenneth Gray, Cameron Gresham, Derek Lefebvre, Joseph Lewis, Cameron Lucey, Joseph Murphy, Michael Pagacik, Derek Pasquale, Michael Quinn, Joseph Sacco, Daniel Smith

Lacrosse

Nick Beaudoin, Luke Boyer, Zachary Bryant, Jonathon Butts, Jack Cahill, Benjamin Church, Griffin Cooney, John Deso, James Goggins, Jack Hamlin, Ryan Hartt,
Hugo Hunt, Jared Kronlund, Luke Lavelle, Patrick Lehane, Kieran Lyons, Jacob Morgan, Christopher Nelson, Michael Parente, Trevor Paris, Bradley Sampson, Andrew Wheeler, Zachary Zarella

Clubs and Activities

Computer Club

During the 2012-2013 school year, the Computer Club has experienced a large amount of growth under the leadership team consisting of President Gino Digioia '13, Vice President Theofanis Papalionakis '13, Secretary William Farmer '14, and Faculty Advisor Mr. Blondin. Starting in September 2012, we had a LAN gaming party every month.

A typical LAN (Local Area Network) party consists of twenty (or more) people gathered around an equal number of networked computers in a large circle playing large, multiplayer games together for several hours. Additionally, this year we have had at least two Xbox 360 consoles networked and connected to a projector at every LAN party. Twice this year we decided to have retro gaming events with consoles such as Nintendo 64 and games like Super Mario 64 and Super Smash Bros. These events were among the most popular this year! And what would a LAN party be without food? All of our events have had pizza, wings, and soda from Little Caesar's Pizza.

Besides gaming, computer club members learn the basics of using servers and computer applications that are not taught in our usual classes. The club is a way for students to explore different ways that a computer can be used in their daily lives.

Chinese Cultural Club

The Chinese Cultural Club is a key part of the Chinese language program at Saint Johns under Mrs. Shi's leadership. Many students shy away from taking Mandarin because of the lack of local opportunities to use the language outside of the classroom. The Chinese Cultural Club's programs make the language more accessible to students. It reminds us that what we study isn't just some code in a text book, but a language spoken by over a billion people with a vibrant and complex history reaching back millennia.

The club is open to anyone interested and has three major events every year. Leading up to the Chinese New Year, each Chinese class works with their teacher to design and perform a presentation showcasing what we have learned.

Another annual activity we participate in is Saint John's celebration of world language week. Every day the Morning Prayer is read in a different language and at the end of that week each of the three programs in the school come together and serve food and play music from the country in which their languages are spoken.

The third major activity the club does is the most immersive of the three. Any student interested can sign up to travel with our Chinese teachers to Chinatown in Boston to enjoy a traditional Chinese dim sum dinner before driving together to a professional Chinese performance. It combines the artistic and culinary enjoyment of our other two activities.

Spanish Club

At St. John's, all students of Spanish are encouraged to participate in Spanish Club activities. The club provides students with an opportunity to experience various aspects of Spanish-speaking cultures. The Spanish Club has organized trips to flamenco presentations, Latin-American and Spanish plays, and dining experiences featuring Spanish and Latin-American cuisines. The group also gathers to prepare a traditional Spanish meal. The Spanish Club also provides opportunities for overseas travel to Spain to experience different facets of Spanish culture, geography and history.

Photography Club

The Photography Club makes efforts to document as many of the events at Saint John's as possible. The events are mainly athletic and members of the club took photos of cross-country, football, basketball, lacrosse, tennis, and volleyball. The club's members also photographed some of this year's prayer services, scholastic competitions hosted by the school, Global Encounter trips, Abdella Center for Ethics guest speakers, and acoustic concerts. Many in the club had photos featured in this year's ICON. The club meets once a week in Room 108.

Members of the club also visited the "Kennedy to Kent State: Images of a Generation" – "an exhibition of some of the most powerful American photographs of the 1960s, the images through which the country shared that dynamic period and by which it is remembered" – at the Worcester Art Museum.

Outdoor Club

The Saint John's Outdoor Club takes students from every part of the Saint John's community outside, whether it be hiking, canoeing, or even horseback riding. This year the Outdoor Club had many successful adventures which included hiking part of the Wachusett rail trail, orienteering at Trout Brook in Holden, canoeing part of the Blackstone River Watershed in Witinsville, learning how to ride a horse, and apple picking in Sterling. There is something to do for everyone who wants to be involved with the outdoors. We are always open to suggestions on places to go and always accepting new members.

Debate Team

The 2012-2013 Saint John's Debate team participated for the first time this year in the Public Forum Debate division of the National Forensic League. The Public Forum style of debating pits two teams from different schools against each other as they tackle that month's debate topic. This year the team debated topics such as the United States' responsibility in the issue of global warming and the Supreme Court's recent decision regarding Super Pacs. This year the team participated in tournaments at Manchester/Essex High School and at Lexington High School for their annual Big Lex Tournament. Big Lex is a national event and teams from around the country participate in the three day tournament. The team, led by Senior Pat Foley, debated remarkably well at the tournaments given that this was our first year under this format. Each team of debaters walked away with wins in both of the tournaments.

This year's team consisted of:

Patrick Foley, Andrew Samant, Matthew Binkunski, Christopher Jackson, Alex Bedard, Patrick Carmody, Aditya Gopinath, James Phayre, Mustafa Khan, Aleksander Repik, Zachary Coderre, Liam Kelly, Liam Kelleher

ICON

Icon published a slim but impressive volume in 2013. Under the leadership of Daniel Paradise, the editorial team of thoughtfully considered a wide range of poetry, fiction, essays, artwork, and photography for inclusion in this year's edition. The following students were honored for their works: Daniel Paradise and Mitchell Shepherd, poetry; Owen Adams and Henri Wick, fiction; Jacob Dubois and Arun Nambiar, photography; John Goggins and John Giacoppe, artwork. Congratulations to all students whose work appeared in the ICON!

Breakfast with Books

2012-2013 was a productive year for Breakfast with Books. Core members Owen Adams, Tom Sansoucy, Nick Palm, Dan Wascovich, and Luke Dombroski met monthly to discuss a wide variety of books including A Study in Scarlet by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, Abraham Lincoln: Vampire Hunter by Seth Grahame-Smith, The Perks of Being a Wallflower by Stephen Chbosky, Boy 21 by Matthew Quick, The Book Thief by Markus Zusak, Bossypants by Tina Fey, and Infinity: Chronicles of Nick by Sherrilyn Kenyon. Boy 21 was the biggest draw, bringing in many drop-in readers.

Studio Art

Jiheon Han, Kevin Holm, Narvicto DeJesus, Sean Waters, Tyler Desautels, Jack Dallmeyer, John Giacoppe, Phil Wettengale, A.J. Arnold

Ski Club

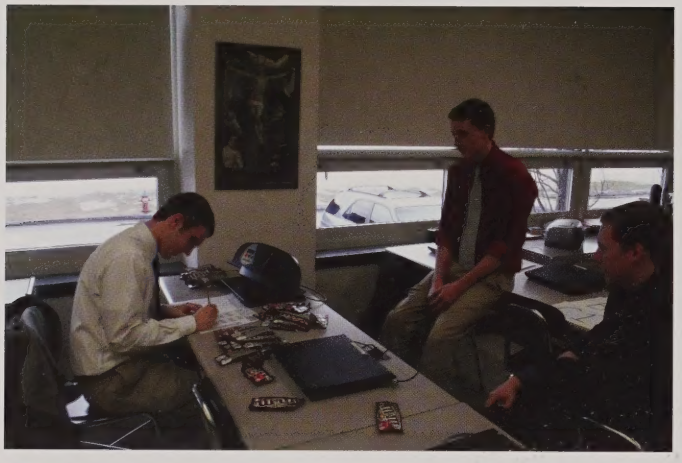
During the 2012-13 season, the Ski Club-S.B. has engaged over 150 student participations at several major ski resorts in the New England state areas. The club's activities this year included a six week after school ski program on Tuesday evenings at Wachusett Mountain and four separate weekend day trips to the following resorts: Loon Mt VT., Sunday River, ME. , Mt. Snow, VT. and one overnight weekend trip to Smuggler's Notch, VT.

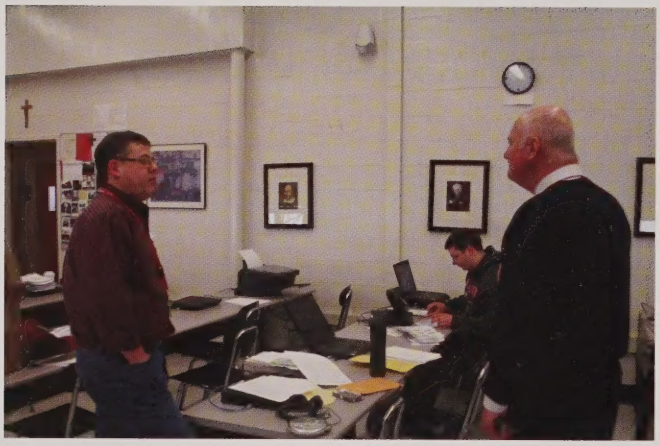
The Wachusett ski program begins immediately after Christmas break on Tuesdays and concludes the week prior to February vacation. The Ski Club also takes one additional weekend trip each month (starting in December) to prime ski resorts and finishes the season with its last trip during the middle of March.

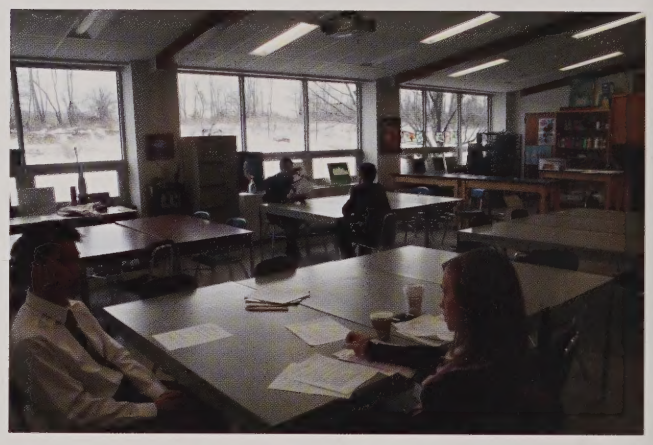
Students with any interest in skiing or snowboarding are encouraged to participate in the club with the goal of enjoying the outdoors and fostering and developing new friendships. Students and teachers alike are welcomed to attend any ski trip and are only required to have fun.

French Club and Trip

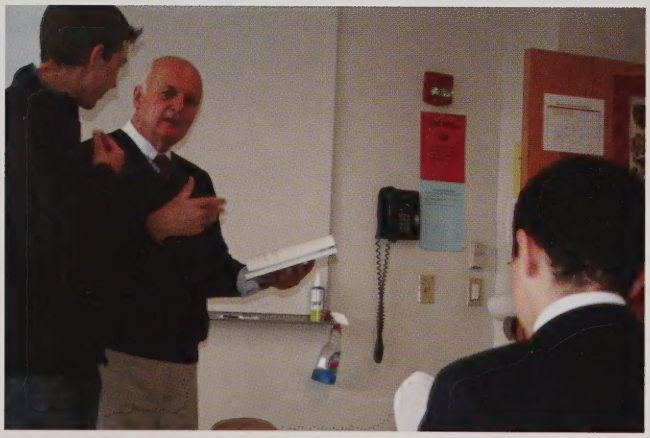
Academic Decathlon



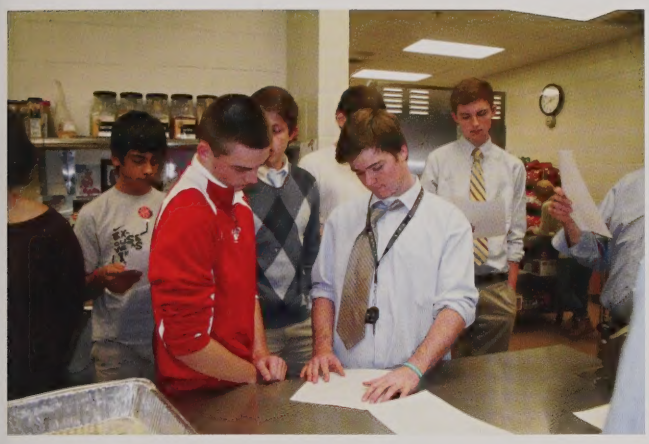




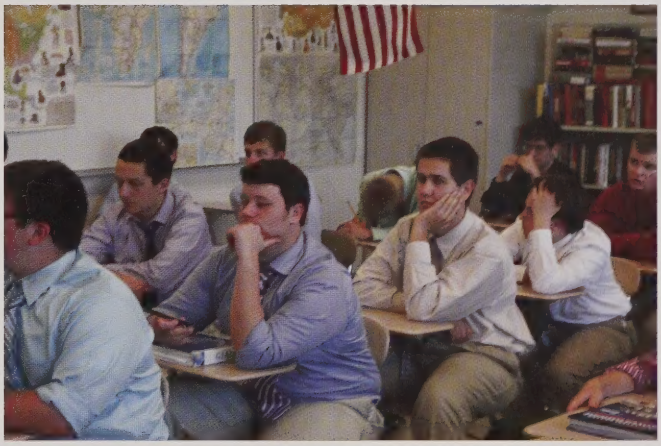
Russian History Club



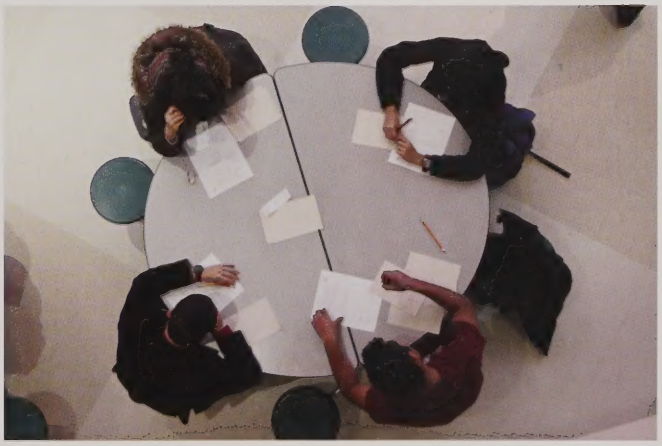
Cooking Club



National History Club



Math Team



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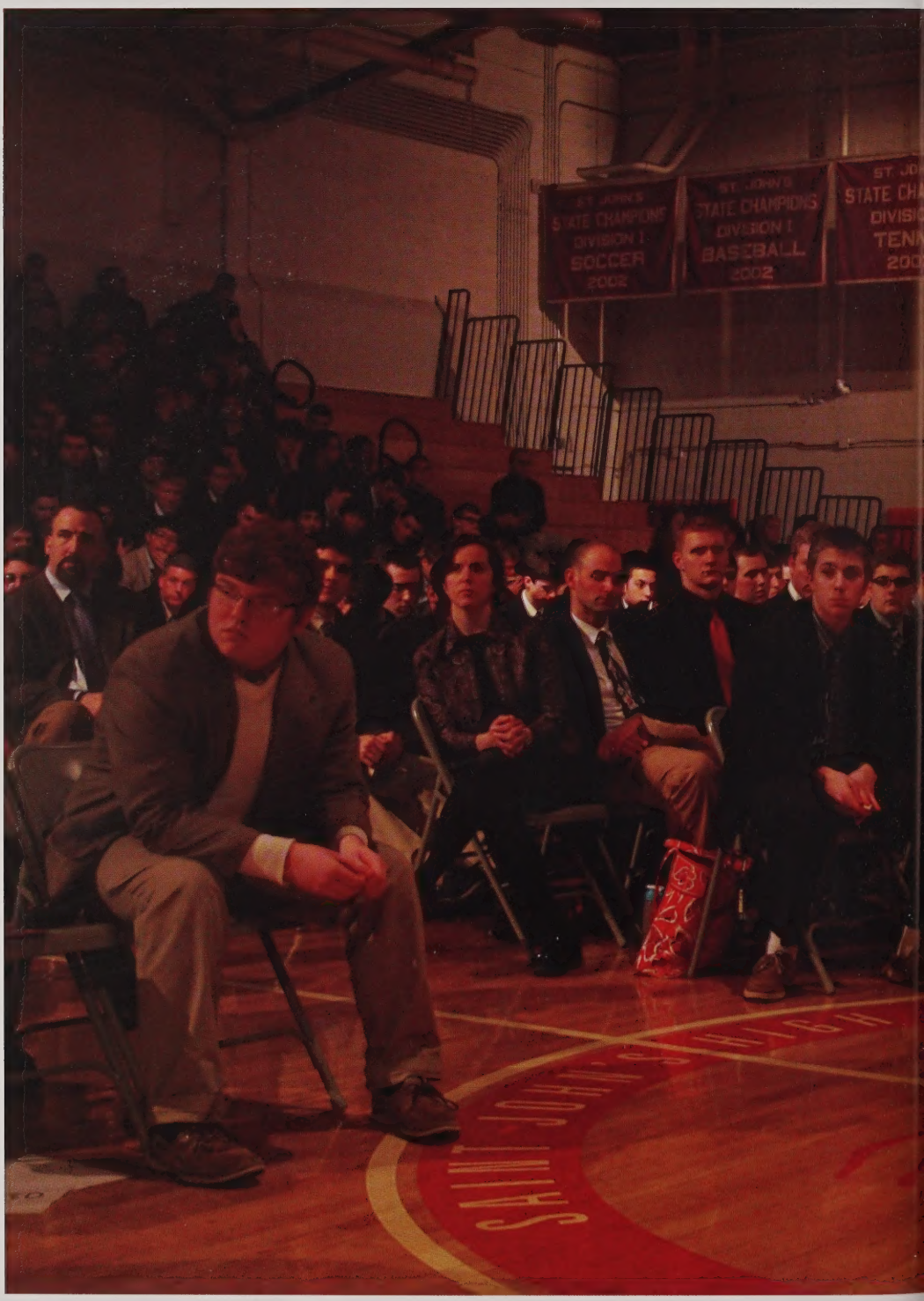

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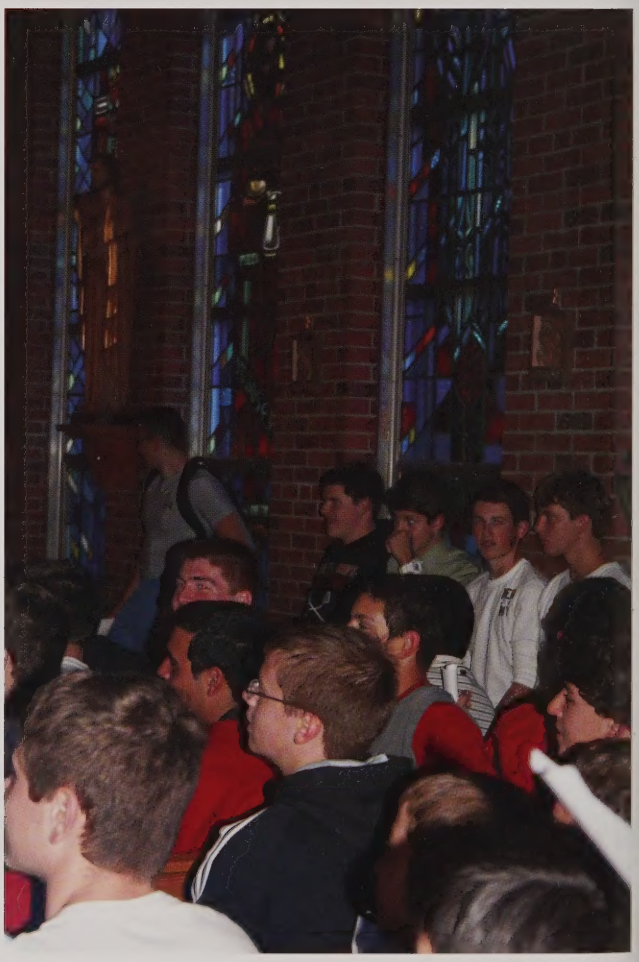
P Cubed

The St. John's Prayer Group, Pioneers, Pizza, and Prayer (P Cubed), is going strong in now its 8th year.
P Cubed is a monthly gathering of students of all grades to enjoy each other's presence (Pioneers), meaningful discussion about a monthly topic of importance to the student body such as dating, peer-pressure, alcohol and drugs, and change (prayer), and of course, pizza!



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Service Day

Students, parents, faculty and alumni from St. John's gathered at close to 50 sites around Worcester County to participate in the Annual Service Day. Hundreds of volunteers from St. John's came together for a prayer service in the morning before fanning out to help with landscaping, maintenance, and other tasks at churches, parks, and non-profit organizations.

MORGAN PARK

Freshman Retreat

The day prior to the first day of classes in late summer, 2012, every member of the freshman class took part in a day-long retreat experience. Upperclassmen and faculty leaders welcomed the incoming class of 2017. They reflected upon who they were and the journey that brought them to Saint John's High School.

Led by the Senior class of 2013, the freshmen were divided into groups to perform service work. They washed and picked fresh produce at a nearby farm that provides food for the Worcester County Food Bank. These young men were introduced into the community of Saint John's service work from day one. At Saint John's, much is expected from those to whom much is given.

Syracuse

ARMY

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SJLI 35

For the 35th year in a row, members of the senior class gathered along with recent grads and faculty before the start of the school year for the Saint John's Leadership Institute. This three day retreat focuses on the principle "to lead is to serve", as evidenced by the *Fundamental Principles of the Xaverian Brothers.* The retreat culminates on the third day with retreatants offering service at numerous agencies in the greater Worcester area.

The Man
You Were Made To Be
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Global Encounters

Four groups of students, faculty, and administrators spent a week in four unique locations as part of the Saint John's Global Encounter program through Campus Ministry. The groups traveled to the BeLikeBrit orphanage in Grand Goave, Haiti, worked on Bethlehem Farm in West Virginia, volunteered at sites around Camden, New Jersey through the Romero Center, and immersed themselves in the community of the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota.

Pine Ridge Reservation, South Dakota

Camden, New Jersey

Bethlehem Farm,
West Virginia

Grand Goave, Haiti

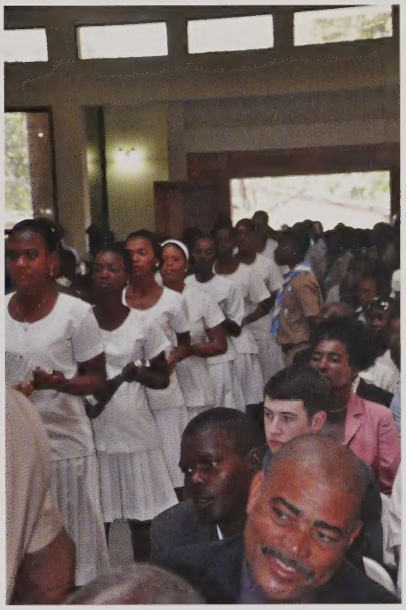
Haiti

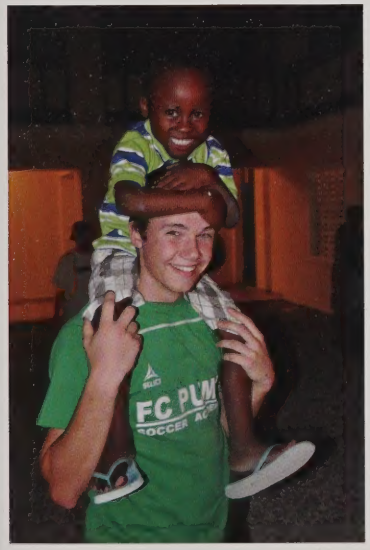
Haiti is a land of great paradox. While it is the poorest country nation in the entire Western Hemisphere, there is an abundance of riches – but not the usual kinds. Amidst suffering, one will find strength. Underneath sorrow, one will find joy. Amongst disparity, one will find hope. And while most people survive on less than two dollars a day, this simple truth remains: faith, fellowship, and family remain invaluable to the people of Haiti. Yet, like Haiti, the BeLikeBrit orphanage of Grand Goave also grew out of great paradox.

Britney Gengel, the daughter of Len and Cherylann Gengel of Holden, perished in the earthquake while on a service trip in college. Her parents courageously tell the story of their daughter in their book, Heartache and Hope. The Gengel family has given their lives to fulfilling the last request of their daughter, sent in the form of a text message a few hours before the earthquake: Brit wanted to build her own orphanage.

Now, this orphanage, shaped in the letter "B," will house thirty-three boys and thirty-three girls between the ages of three and eight who have no parents and no home. The orphanage provides three meals a day, a roof over their heads, and an environment of faith-filled companionship for each of "Brit's kids." The orphanage and the Gengel family are truly beacons of hope in our world today. This past February, Saint John's was fortunate enough to experience this firsthand.

Eight Saint John's men, accompanied by two faculty members, had the privilege of traveling to the BeLikeBrit orphanage over winter vacation. To say that the experience was life changing would be an understatement. Whether it was working side-by-side with Haitian workers carrying buckets of gravel up a hill, playing soccer with the children, or spending evenings in prayer and reflection, the experience in Haiti transformed each individual in a unique way. Each Global Encounter program at Saint John's invites participants to discover the face of Christ in the poor, acknowledging that it may not look the same in each place or in each person. However, one didn't have to look far to find Christ's transformative love in each child, each project, and each embrace. Hopefully, in some small way we were able to change Haiti, even if only for a moment. Yet, in the greatest way possible, Haiti and the story of Britney Gengel have changed each one of us for a lifetime.





West Virginia

Over April break, six Saint John's students, Mr. Berger and Dr. Lizotte made the thirteen hour drive to Bethlehem Farm in the Appalachian mountains of West Virginia. Bethlehem Farm is an intentional Christian community committed to the four cornerstones of prayer, simplicity, service, and community. During our stay, we engaged in a simple lifestyle of service which provided a true experience of humanity and transforming lives. Through our daily projects in the surrounding community – replacing Ruth's roof, siding Bonnie's house, and gardening for Sandy – we worked alongside those less fortunate than us. We listened to their stories, saw how they lived, and came to realize firsthand the values of gratitude, simplicity, trust, compassion, and humility.

The week was spent without media and external communication, which was surprisingly liberating and allowed is to be truly present to our beautiful surroundings and our purpose. When we were not physically working on the farm or in the community, we had time to reflect and share in prayer. We focused on what the cornerstones of Bethlehem Farm represent and how we can, and should, incorporate them into our daily lives. One of the most meaningful take-aways from this encounter is to remain aware that everyone is created equal and we are all here on this earth to fulfill God's call to be of service and help to others.

BOSTON COLLEGE

AT 6:00
ALL WELCOME

South Dakota

The 2013 Saint John's trip to South Dakota was an experience like no other. In our first few hours on the Pine Ridge Reservation, we felt as if we were in another country - one with an incredible landscape. This barren land of rolling hills and a view for miles brought us to the reservation, and we were startled by the poor conditions in which many of the Pine Ridge residents live. The trailer homes were dilapidated and featured cars in various phases of deconstruction. What we would quickly learn over the course of our time at the reservation is that our hosts are the happiest and most generous people we could ever meet. They gladly welcomed us into our homes, fed us, spoke joyfully about their lives, and all while surrounded by the sadness of their history and living conditions. Despite their impoverished circumstances, they would give a stranger the cowboy hats off their heads.

We tried to help with what we could but the main lesson we learned was that we were not there to change the reservation. Our group tiled floors and returned electricity to one man's house. We visited Red Cloud, a school on the reservation, where we helped the teachers and had a chance to meet the students. The most service we did was simply listening. The opportunity to meet such amazing people is one I am confident I will never forget.

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Camden, New Jersey

Ten students and two faculty members did not have to travel far to find a life changing experience rooted in service and openness. They spent their spring vacation in Camden, New Jersey.

Camden transformed from a bustling city in the 1950s and '60s to what many consider the worst city in the United States in a matter of decades. Camden has the highest crime rate in the country with 2,333 violent crimes per 100,000 people, a high school graduation rate of less than 50%, and extremely high unemployment and poverty rates. The schools in Camden rank at the very bottom of the New Jersey Public Schools, and children and teens are not afforded a sufficient opportunity to learn and move on to college.

Behind the bad found in Camden, however, lie some very bright spots, and the Saint John's students who visited certainly saw this. Through the Romero Center in the heart of Camden, we volunteered at local day cares, after-school programs, nursing homes, and a soup kitchen. At all of these sites, we met genuine and hardworking people who devote their lives to bringing Camden back on its feet. After days filled with service in the community of Camden, the Saint John's retreatants reflected on the topics of solidarity, justice, charity, and the dignity of every person. Through this experience, our group not only had a chance to give back to one of the poorest communities in the United States, but we were also given the opportunity to learn more about ourselves and take back lessons to improve our own communities.

PIONEER
FOOTBALL

You say You Love the Poor... NAM THE

Class of 2013

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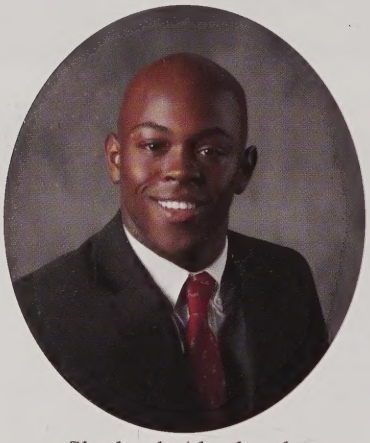
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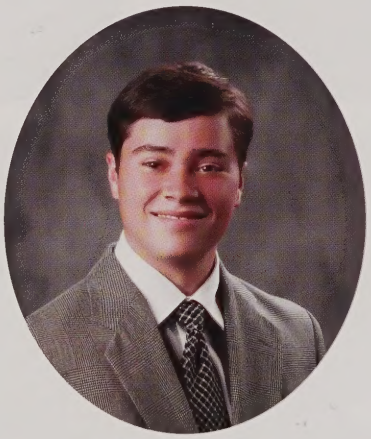
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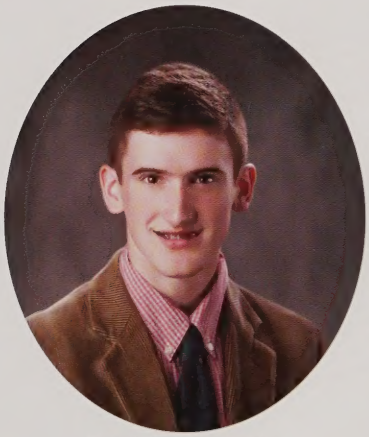
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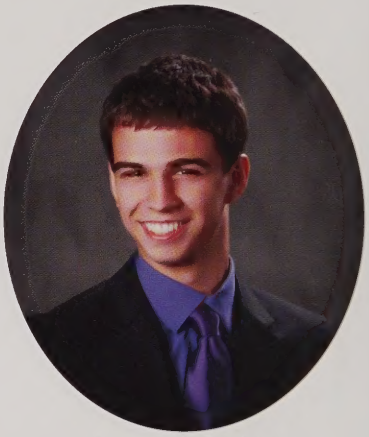
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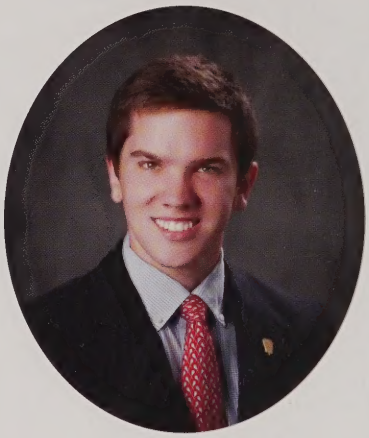
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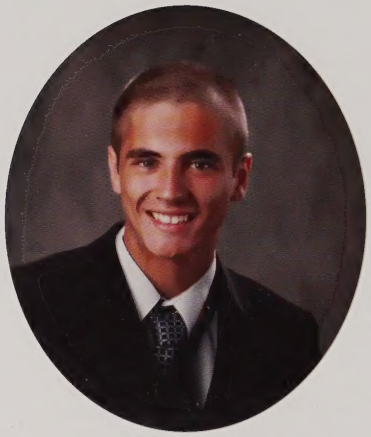
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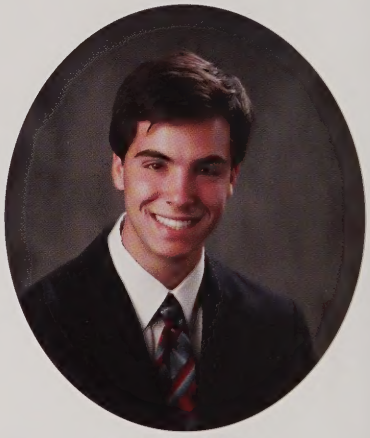
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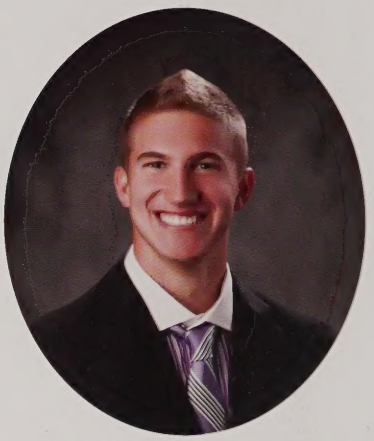
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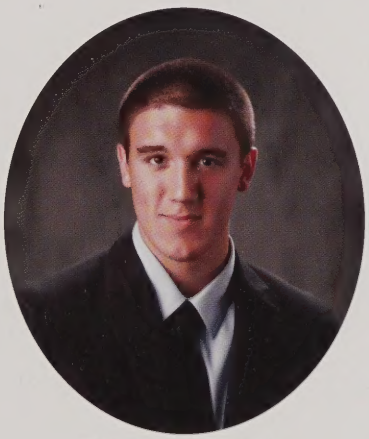
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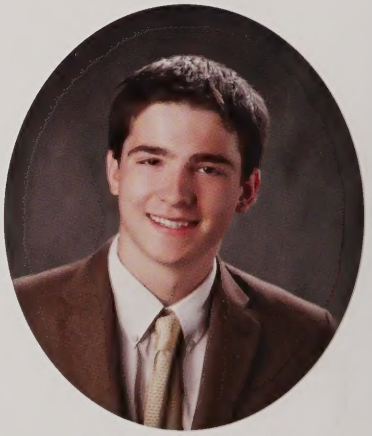
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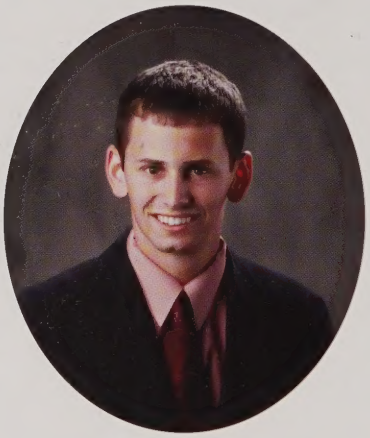
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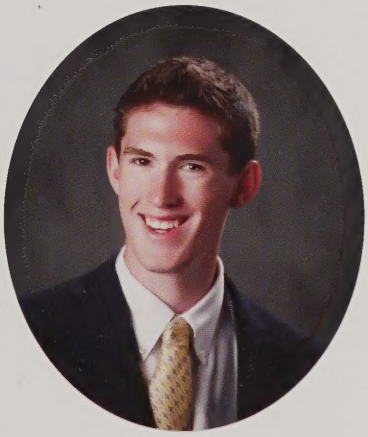
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James Zatsiorsky

Students not pictured

Quran Avery

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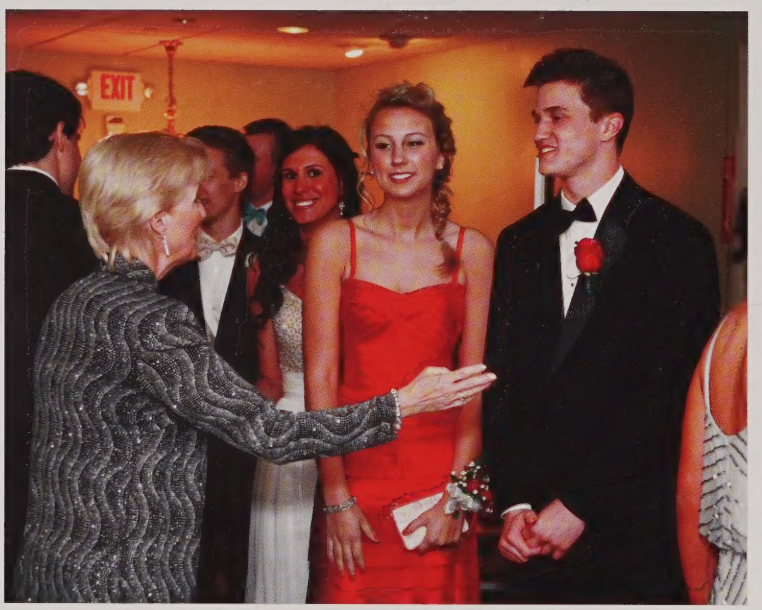
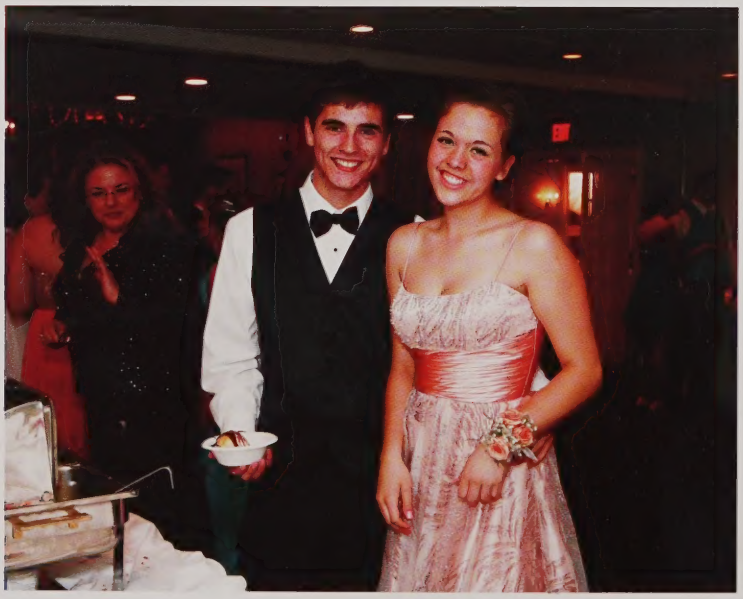
BOYNTON

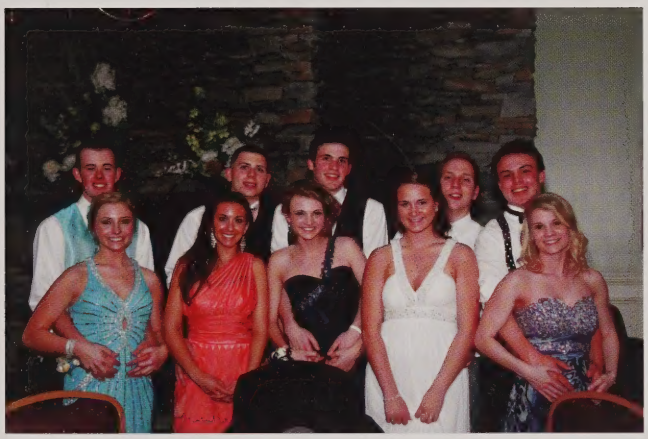
Senior Prom

The styles may have changed over the decades, but the tradition of a formal Senior Prom remains a highly anticipated date on the school calendar at Saint John's.

This year, seniors and their dates enjoyed an elegant evening's dinner and dancing at Pleasant Valley Country Club in Sutton.





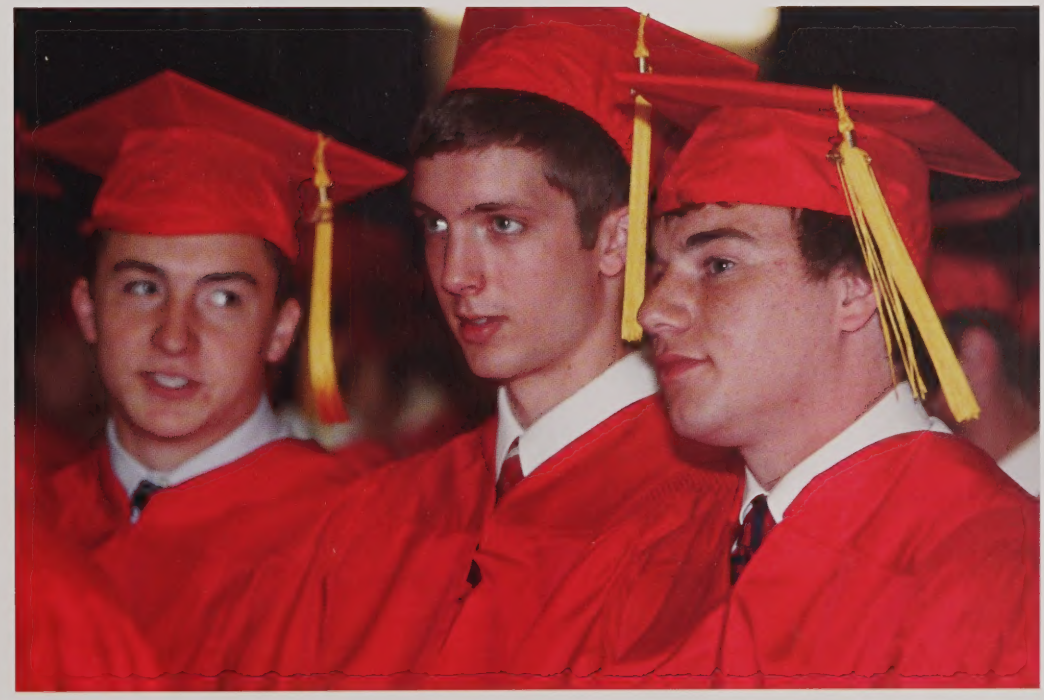


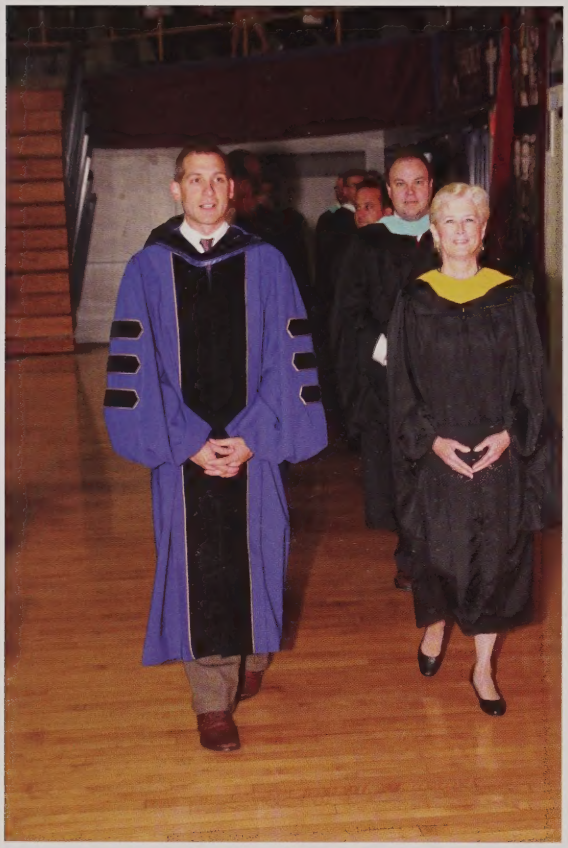
107th Commencement

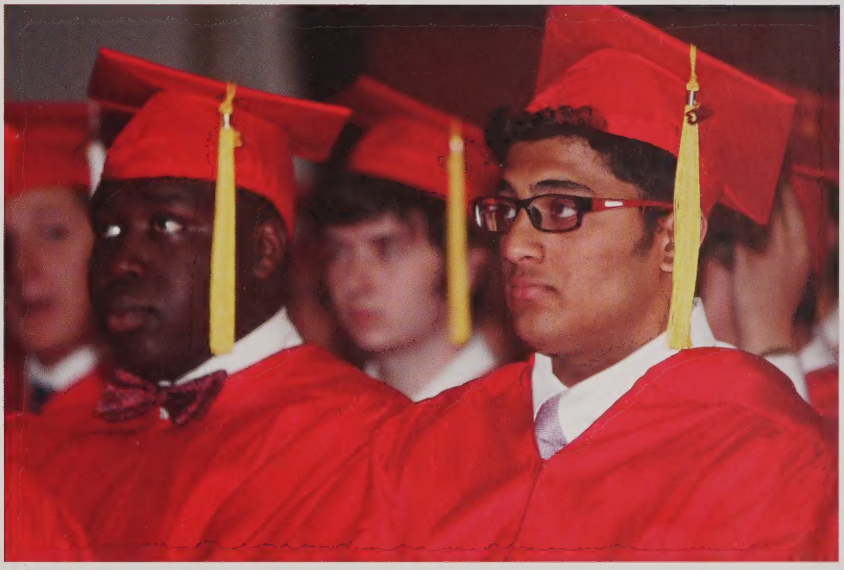
The members of the 2013 Senior class graduated in Saint John's 107th Commencement ceremony at the Hart Center on the campus of the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester.

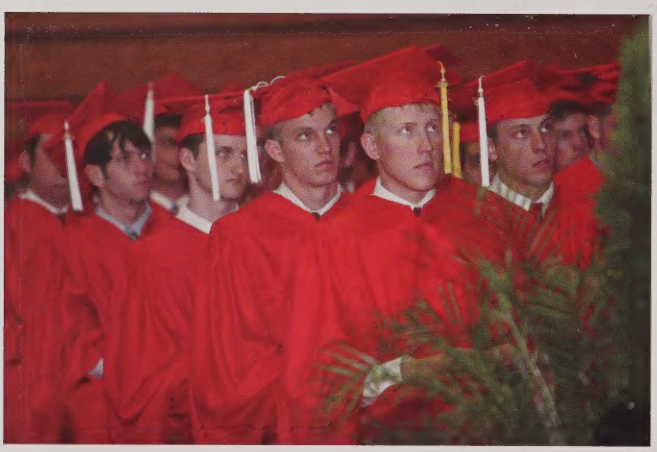
James Zatsiorsky earned the Award for Academic Excellence and gave the valedictory address.

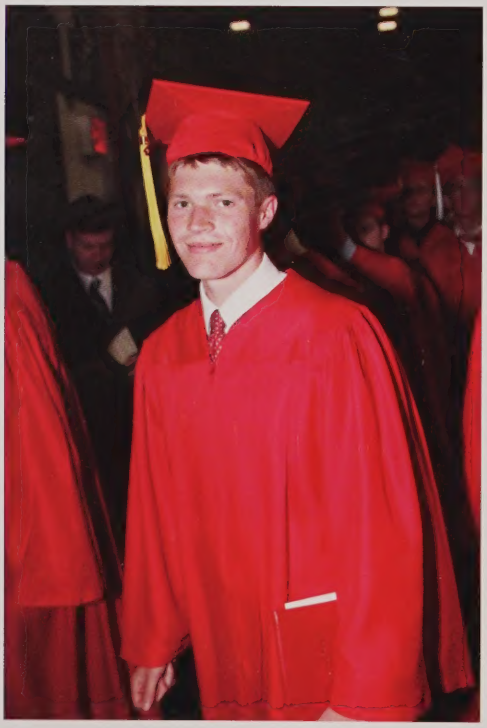
John Giacoppe received the Xaverian Award as the student who best exemplifies Christian ideals and the spirit of the Xaverian Brothers.



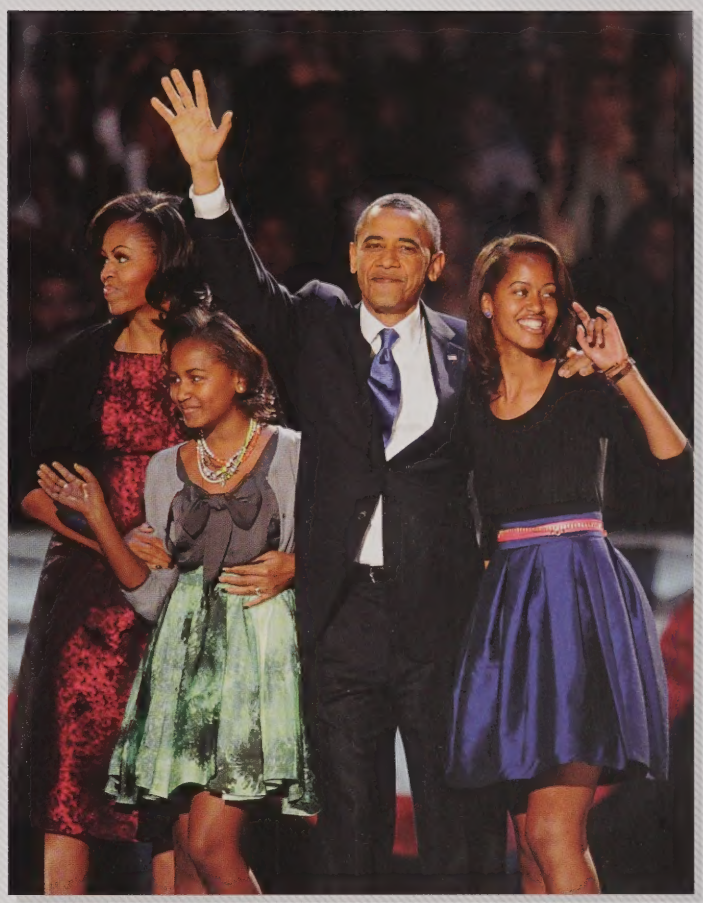








Walsworth yearbooks



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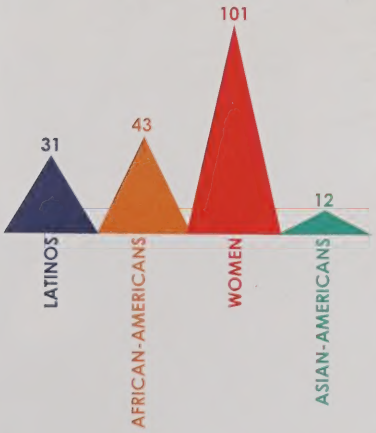
GREAT BRITAIN'S PRINCE WILLIAM AND HIS WIFE, CATHERINE, Duchess of Cambridge, were expecting their first child after 19 months of marriage. William and Kate's child would be third in line for the throne. Kate spent several days in the hospital in late 2012 with extreme morning sickness.

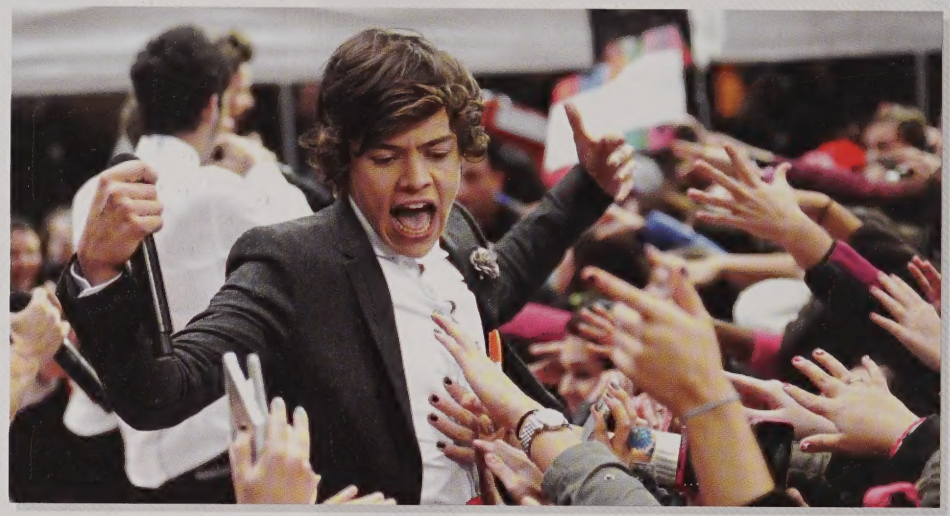
THE CHANGING FACE OF CONGRESS

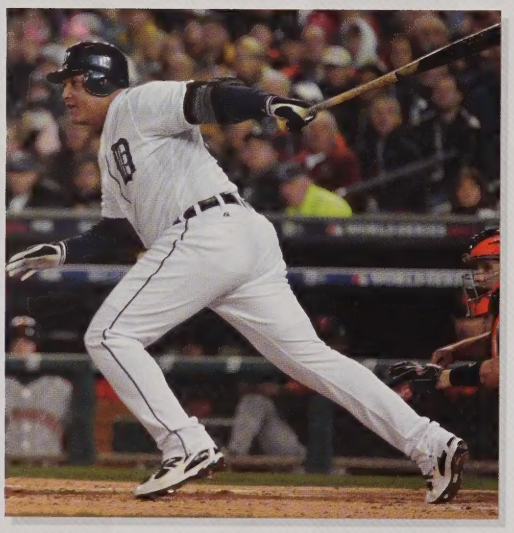
Total members of Congress: 535



Source: MSNBC

BRITISH POP BAND ONE DIRECTION released two hit albums in the U.S., making them the latest boy band sensation. One Direction's single "Live While We're Young" set sales records for a non-U.S. artist in its opening week.





FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 45 YEARS, a baseball player won the batting Triple Crown when Detroit's Miguel Cabrera led the American League in batting average, home runs and RBI.

AFTER 82 YEARS IN OPERATION, Hostess Brands, the maker of Twinkies, Ding-Dongs and Wonder Bread, closed up shop. The company, which was in bankruptcy, planned to sell its assets, leaving a glimmer of hope that another company would bring back the much-loved confections. The end of Hostess shut down 33 bakeries, 565 distribution centers and 570 bakery outlets, and 18,500 jobs were lost.

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA, a Democrat, won re-election with 62.6 million votes – 51% of the popular vote and 332 electoral votes – over his opponent, former Massachusetts Gov. Mitt Romney. Key battleground states, such as Ohio and Florida, went for Obama, as did a majority of women and minority voters. Republicans retained control of the House of Representatives, while Democrats kept control of the Senate.

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- Open the app on your phone or tablet and launch the viewfinder.
- Point the viewfinder over any image with the Yearbook 3D icon and hold.
- Watch the video pop off the page!

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IT'S PURR-FECT! A cat was added as the new Monopoly game piece. A vote on Facebook let people decide which new game piece should be added, and which should go. The iron was voted out.

THE U.S. AMBASSADOR TO LIBYA, J. Christopher Stevens, was killed along with three others during a terrorist attack on the U.S. Embassy in Benghazi on Sept. 11. Congressional hearings delved into the cause of the attack and the failure to protect the ambassador.

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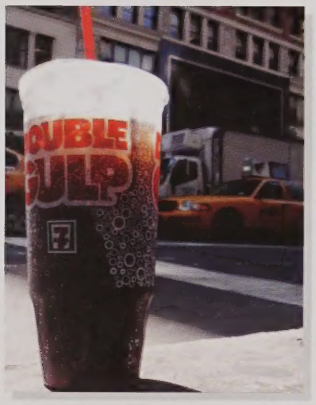
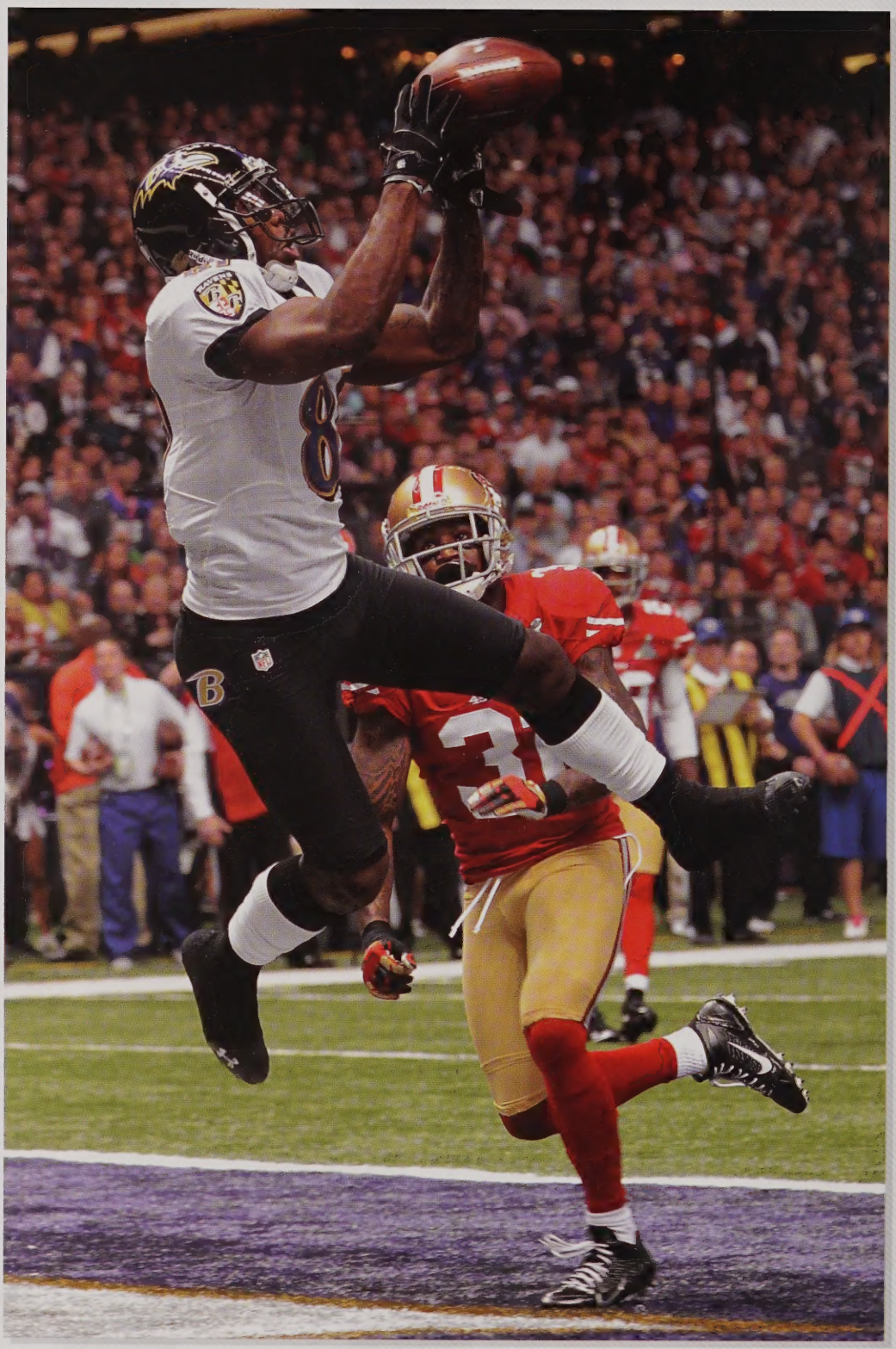


NO MORE BIG GULP IN NEW YORK CITY. The sale of sugary drinks 16 ounces or larger was banned in the Big Apple at restaurants, movie theaters and street vendors. The move was the most recent in an effort by Mayor Michael Bloomberg to fight obesity.

SCIENTISTS CONFIRMED THAT KOSHIK, a 22-year old-elephant living in a South Korean zoo, had developed the ability to imitate human speech by tucking his trunk inside his mouth. Koshik's vocabulary included the Korean words for hello, no, good, sit down and lie down.



THE BALTIMORE RAVENS WON SUPER BOWL XLVII IN NEW ORLEANS, defeating the San Francisco 49ers 34-31. The game featured a brother vs. brother coaching matchup between Baltimore's John Harbaugh and San Francisco's Jim Harbaugh. The Ravens built a huge lead behind quarterback Joe Flacco and receiver Anquan Boldin before holding off a late 49ers rally, while both teams dealt with a 30-minute second half delay due to a power outage in the Superdome.

FACING A SELF-IMPOSED Jan. 1 deadline of forced, wide-ranging tax increases and spending cuts known as the "fiscal cliff," Congress passed the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012. The act extended the Bush era tax cuts but raised other taxes, including the Social Security part of the payroll tax. Passage of the act averted a recession at that time, and Congress continued its work by preparing to discuss spending cuts.

THE SUMMER OLYMPICS took over London and the world's attention in August. The U.S. won Gold for only the second time ever in the women's gymnastics team event. Gabby Douglas, McKayla Maroney, Aly Raisman, Kyla Ross and Jordyn Wieber became known as the "Fierce Five." Jamaican sprinter Usain Bolt became the first man to ever win the 100 and 200 meters in back-to-back Olympics. Swimmer Michael Phelps won six more medals to become the most decorated Olympian ever.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE OWNERS declared a player lockout less than a month before the start of the 2012-13 season. The labor dispute over revenues stretched into the new year, forcing the cancellation of more than 600 games before it was finally settled on Jan. 6., and the season began on Jan. 19.

NBA 30,000 POINT SCORERS

Kobe Bryant became just the fifth player in NBA history to pass the 30,000 career points mark.

Source: ESPN.com (as of Jan. 31, 2013)

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IN OCTOBER, FELIX BAUMGARTNER set new world records by sky diving about 24 miles above the Earth's surface and reaching a speed of 834 miles per hour during his fall. Baumgartner jumped from a helium balloon flight and successfully landed in New Mexico.

IN STYLE

- Boots, from chunky ankle to hip high
- Colored denim
- Leather and animal prints
- Embellishments such as rhinestones, glitter, ribbons, studs
- Cloche hats

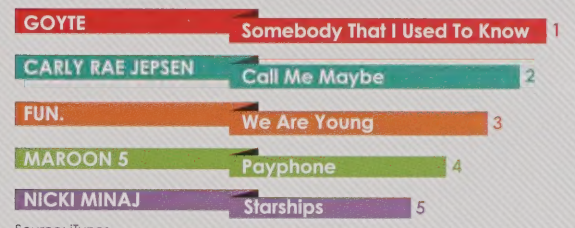
- Colored denim
- Striped Polo shirts
- Western-style shirts
- Cardigans
- Graphic Tees

HURRICANE SANDY BLASTED THE EAST COAST Oct. 29, killing more than 120 people from the Caribbean to New England. New York City and New Jersey were especially hard hit, leaving millions of residents without power and in short supply of food and gas for weeks. Damage estimates were put at $42 billion for New York state and $30 billion for New Jersey. The super storm, 820 miles in diameter, even created surfing conditions on Lake Michigan at Chicago.

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE SEASONS, the San Francisco Giants won the World Series when they swept the Detroit Tigers in four games. San Francisco's Pablo Sandoval hit three home runs in Game 1 and was chosen the series MVP.

MOST DOWNLOADED SONGS OF 2012

The song "Call Me Maybe" by Carly Rae Jepsen (above) sold more than 10 million copies worldwide and earned a Grammy nomination for Song of the Year.



Source: iTunes

IT WAS A QUITE A YEAR FOR INDIE ROCK BAND FUN. Their song "We Are Young" hit number one and became the first song ever to have more than 300,000 digital downloads for seven straight weeks. Fun. scored another top 10 hit with "Some Nights" then followed it up by receiving six Grammy nominations.

ALABAMA ROLLED to its second straight national title, and third in four years, by defeating Notre Dame, 42-14, in college football's BCS championship game. Running back Eddie Lacy ran for 140 yards and a touchdown, and was chosen one of the game's MVPs.

FACEBOOK INCREASED ITS PRESENCE in our lives. It bought Instagram, the photo-editing and sharing app for Android and iPhone users. It went public and began offering stock, enabling people to own a piece of the company. Facebook put more ads into the news feed of its mobile apps, and analysts waited to see if users adjusted or became annoyed.

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SO WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A SUPERHERO MOVIE combines Iron Man, Captain America, Thor and the Incredible Hulk? You get "The Avengers," and you get the biggest opening weekend in American box office history at more than $200 million and the movie and DVD hit of the year.

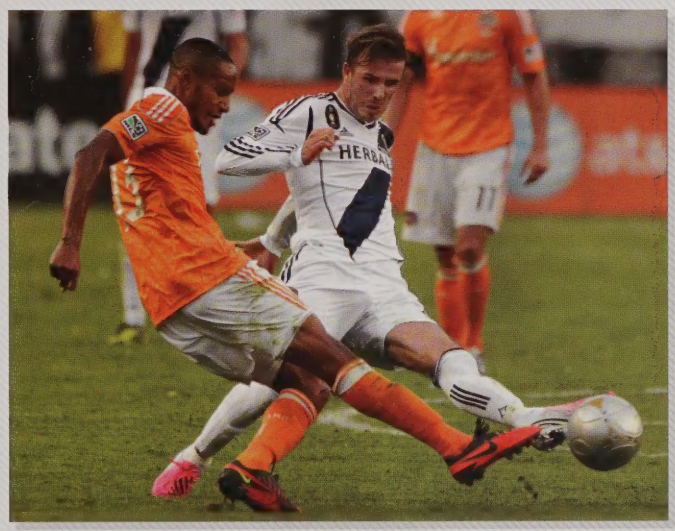
REALITY TV of all sorts continued to fascinate audiences. TLC's "Here Comes Honey Boo Boo" followed around child beauty pageant contestant Alana "Honey Boo Boo" Thompson and her Georgia family and became one of the highest-rated shows on cable.

NEWARK, N.J., MAYOR CORY BOOKER spent one week living on the equivalent of what Americans in the SNAP program eat. People on SNAP, formerly known as food stamps, get about $30 per week to spend on food. He used Twitter and Facebook to describe his experience.

SERENA WILLIAMS REGAINED HER STATUS as the top women's tennis player in the world, winning Wimbledon and the U.S. Open again. Her 15 Grand Slam tennis titles rank sixth on the all-time list.

PEOPLE WORLDWIDE DECRIED the attempted assassination of Malala Yousufzai, 14, of Pakistan by the Taliban. She was gunned down for her outspoken criticism of the Taliban's ban on educating girls. She survived and spent months recovering in a hospital in England.

BRITISH SOCCER STAR DAVID BECKHAM helped the L.A. Galaxy win their second straight MLS Cup championship, defeating Houston 3-1. The victory allowed Beckham, who had already announced he was leaving L.A. after the season, to leave on top after five years with the Galaxy.



NEARLY 20% OF U.S. HOUSEHOLDS had student loan debt, according to the Pew Research Center, and 80% of U.S. adults surveyed by *Time* magazine and Carnegie Corporation said the education they received was not worth the high tuition. College debt was more than $1 trillion, higher than credit card debt.

AFTER FLYING MILLIONS OF MILES IN 25 MISSIONS, the retired Space Shuttle Endeavour made a low-level flight on the back of a 747 across the U.S. to Los Angeles and its new home at the California Science Center. Once at LAX, it was rolled for 12 miles over two days to avoid power lines, trees and other obstacles.

WHAT IT COST

$3.42 Gallon of gas	$3.53 Gallon of milk
$.99 Song on iTunes	$199 iPhone 5 16GB w/contract
$14.99 Movie on DVD	$3.25 Grande cappuccino
$3.39 McDonald's Quarter Pounder	$7.99/month Netflix

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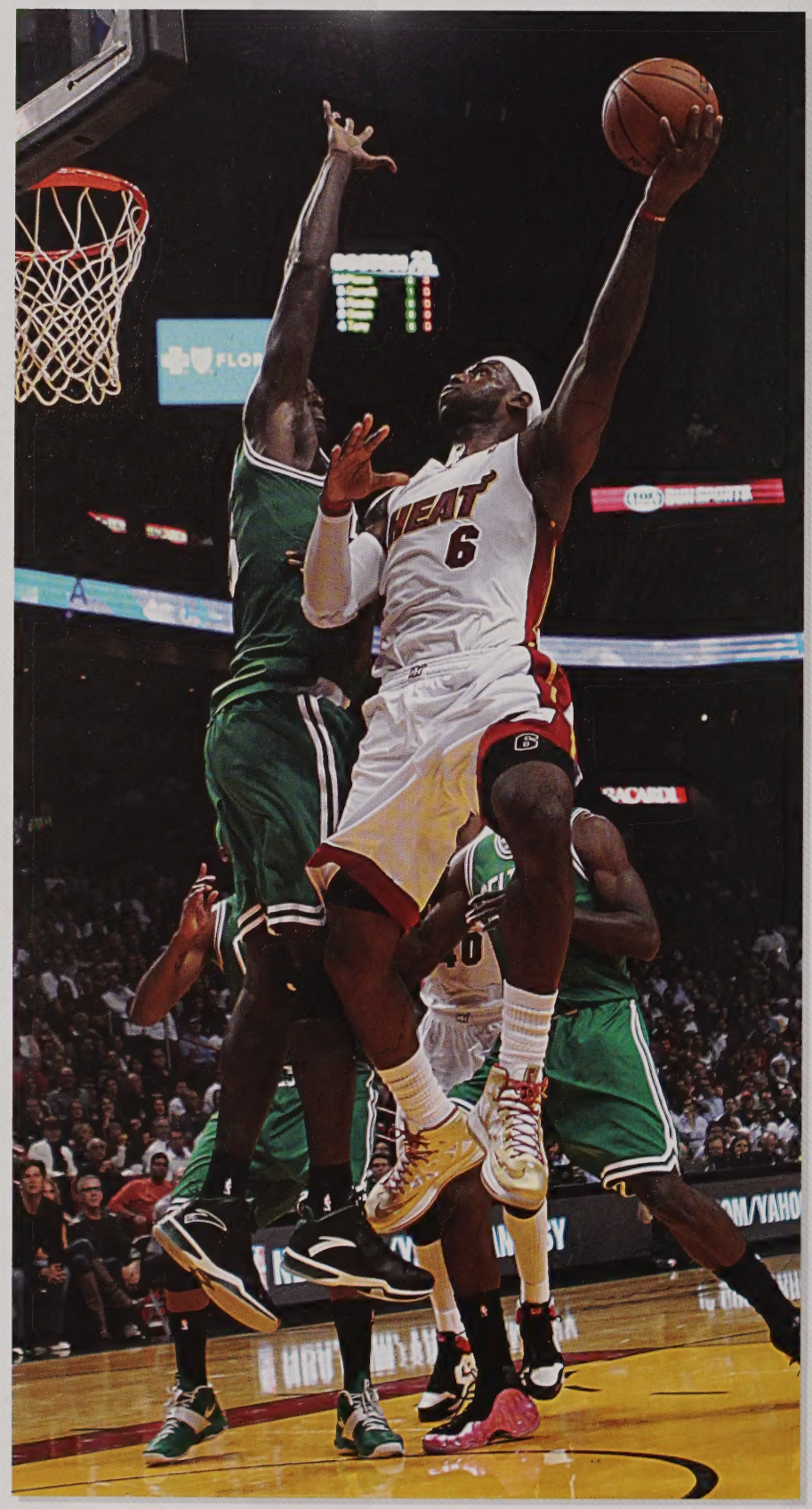
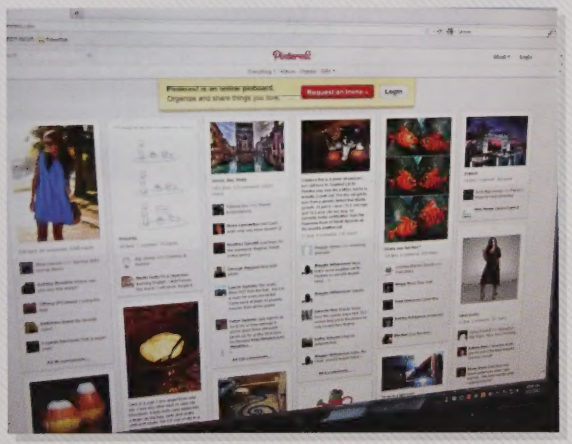
LEBRON JAMES ENJOYED QUITE A YEAR, finally breaking through and winning his first NBA championship with the Miami Heat, then following it up by leading the U.S. to a Gold medal at the Summer Olympics in London.



DRIVER BRAD KESELOWSKI won the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship for the first time, winning five races during the 2012 season. Keselowski became just the second driver to win titles on both the Sprint Cup and Nationwide Series.

IN SYRIA, the civil war had claimed 60,000 lives over two years, according to the United Nations, causing many families to flee the country or live in caves. Nearby, Israel battled with Hamas for eight days, exchanging rockets and taunts on Twitter. In a first, Israel tweeted a video of an airstrike that killed a Hamas leader.



THE PINBOARD-STYLE, photo-sharing website Pinterest became the fastest website to ever break the 10-million unique visitors mark, just two years after its first prototype was launched. Pinterest users created and managed theme-based image collections of events, interests and hobbies.

FANS OF THE "TWILIGHT" SERIES finally reached the end when the final movie was released, "Breaking Dawn – Part 2." The last chapter of the Bella/Edward vampire romance wrapped up a saga that started nearly eight years earlier with the release of the first novel.

TOP DVD SALES

Source: homemediamagazine.com

FANS LINED UP OUTSIDE OF STORES in November for the midnight release of "Call of Duty: Black Ops II," the ninth video game in the Call of Duty franchise. The game generated more than $500 million in sales in the first 24 hours, making it the largest entertainment media opening in history.

VIEWERS COULDN'T GET ENOUGH MUSIC REALITY SHOWS. "The Voice" became one of the 10 most watched shows on TV, even with judges Christina Aguilera and Cee Lo Green leaving the show. "American Idol" returned for its 12th season with stars Mariah Carey, Nicki Minaj and Keith Urban now judges.

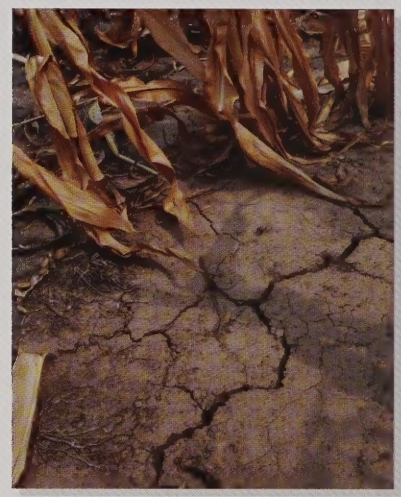
Photo credits: Newscom

TOP BOX OFFICE MOVIES

Source: imdb.com

STEVEN SPIELBERG'S LATEST EPIC, "LINCOLN," led all movies with 12 Oscar nominations. The biographical film on President Abraham Lincoln was joined in the Best Picture category by "Argo," "Les Miserables," "Life of Pi," and "Silver Linings Playbook" among others.

THE YEAR 2012 WAS THE HOTTEST IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, and the second worst for extreme weather, the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration said. The severe drought covered 61% of the U.S. at its worst during the year.



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"THE HUNGER GAMES" became the latest literary pop culture phenomenon to make it to the big screen when the popular novel was turned into one of the hit movies of the year. The futuristic tale of youths forced to fight in a lethal series of games representing their homelands resonated with teens.

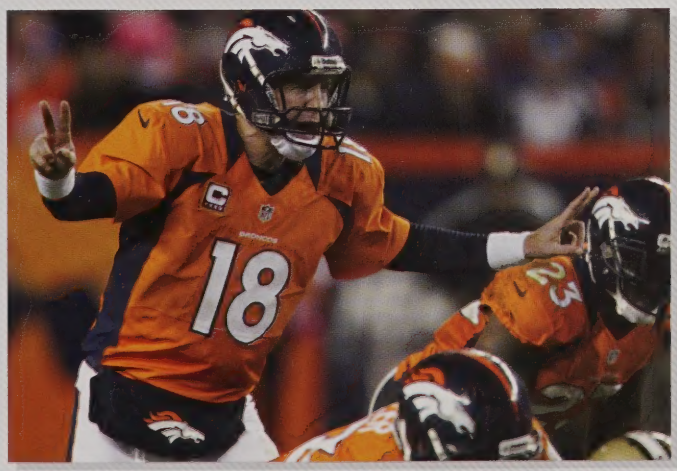
POP/COUNTRY STAR TAYLOR SWIFT released her newest album "Red" and it spent six weeks at the top of the Billboard charts. Swift was the first musical artist to have three straight albums accomplish that feat since The Beatles did it 43 years earlier.

FAREWELLS

- **Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf,** leader in first Gulf War, 1991
- **Neil Armstrong,** astronaut, first man on the moon
- **Larry Hagman,** actor, "Dallas" and "I Dream of Jeanne" TV series
- **Sally Ride,** first woman astronaut
- **Andy Griffith,** actor, "The Andy Griffith Show" and "Matlock" TV series

WHOEVER SAID YOU GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR had not heard of MOOCs – massive open online courses. MOOCs were free, and courses were taught by professors from major universities such as Stanford and Harvard. More than one million people attended such classes, although the completion rate was low.

CLARK KENT, A.K.A. SUPERMAN, quit his reporting job at *The Daily Planet* newspaper in a huff. His next career move was unknown but there was talk he might start a blog. Amid that change, *Mad* magazine, and its mascot Alfred E. Newman, rolled past its 60th anniversary, continuing its blazing satire and questioning of authority.



QUARTERBACK PEYTON MANNING MADE A SUCCESSFUL COMEBACK from neck surgery. After being released by Indianapolis, Manning signed with Denver and led the Broncos to a 13-3 record and was named to his 12th Pro Bowl.

POPE BENEDICT XVI announced in mid-February that he would step down as the leader of the Roman Catholic Church on Feb. 28, the first time in almost 600 years a pope has left the post. Benedict, 85, said advanced age led to his decision. A new pope was expected to be in place by Easter.

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MORTGAGE RATES FELL THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, leading more people to buy houses and improving the housing market. The rate for a 30-year loan in 2012 hit a 65-year low, and the rate in early 2013 was lower than that at 3.38%.

AFTER AN 8-MONTH VOYAGE, NASA's Curiosity rover reached Mars and made a successful landing on the red planet. The robotic spacecraft was expected to explore the climate and geology on Mars over the next two years.

MORE PRIVATE COMPANIES began getting involved in commercial spaceflight. One such company, SpaceX, made history when one of its spacecraft became the first from a private company to deliver cargo to the International Space Station.

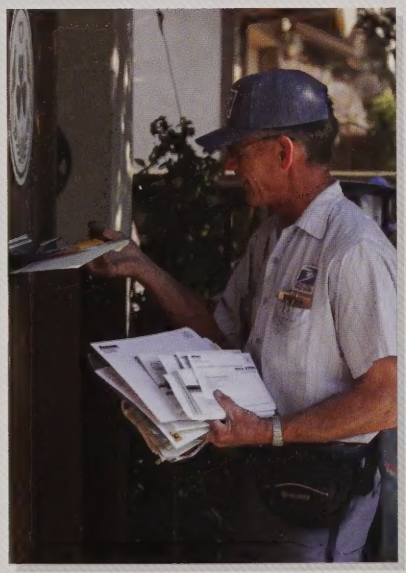
TEXAS A&M QUARTERBACK JOHNNY MANZIEL won the Heisman Trophy after becoming the first freshman to ever pass for more than 3,000 yards and run for more than 1,000 in a season. Manziel, nicknamed "Johnny Football" by fans, led the Aggies to 11 wins.

LANCE ARMSTRONG, the American cyclist who famously won the Tour de France seven times while also overcoming cancer, was charged with using performance-enhancing drugs by the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency. Armstrong was stripped of his titles and banned from cycling for life. Armstrong later confessed to using the banned substances during a national TV interview with talk show host Oprah Winfrey.

MOST POPULAR FACEBOOK GAMES

- SONGPOP
- DRAGON CITY
- BIKE RACE
- SUBWAY SURFERS
- ANGRY BIRDS FRIENDS

Source: Associated Press



FACING RECORD LOSSES IN THE BILLIONS OF DOLLARS, the U.S. Postal Service announced plans to cut Saturday mail service. Under the plan, Saturday mail delivery would stop in August, but on that day post offices would be open and packages would be delivered.

ENERGY DRINKS AND ENERGY SHOTS were studied by the Food and Drug Administration after reports of 13 deaths and 33 people hospitalized. The government's Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration also said emergency room visits doubled to 20,000 since 2007 as a result of the drinks, with most of those visits by teens and young adults.

CRITICS PRAISED JUSTIN BIEBER'S LATEST ALBUM, "BELIEVE," and hit single "Boyfriend" because it moved away from a teen pop sound toward R&B. The singer's fans were heartbroken that his romance with fellow pop star Selena Gomez ended after two years.

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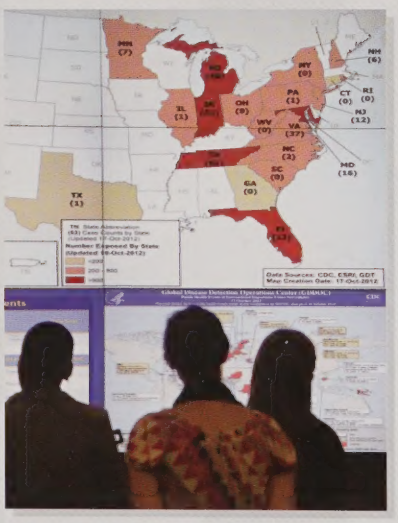
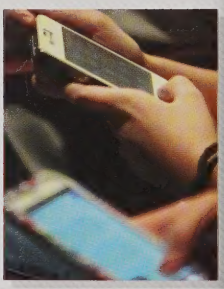
SOUTH KOREAN POP STAR PSY released the hit single "Gangnam Style" and in less than six months the song's music video became the most watched viral video of all-time with more than a billion views on YouTube. In the process, PSY became famous worldwide.

"THE DARK KNIGHT RISES" capped off the recent "Dark Knight" trilogy of Batman movies to huge audiences and critical acclaim. The most recent film reintroduced Selina Kyle as Catwoman and saw Batman battling the powerful Bane.

DISNEY BOUGHT THE RIGHTS TO THE STAR WARS franchise for just over $4 billion. Immediately after making the purchase, Disney announced plans for a new trilogy of movies, with the next film scheduled for release in 2015.



AT LEAST 32 PEOPLE DIED and more than 460 became ill from a non-contagious form of fungal meningitis. The Centers for Disease Control said the outbreak was caused by contaminated steroid injections received by about 13,000 people.



MORE PEOPLE WERE BUCKLING UP, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Seat belt use increased every year since 1994, and in 2012, 86% of all drivers and passengers heeded the national safety campaign to "Click It or Ticket."

OMG, TEXTING CELEBRATED its 20th anniversary. The first text message was "Happy Christmas," sent from a computer to a very large cell phone over the network of Vodafone, a communications company. Now, approximately six billion texts are sent daily in the U.S.

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